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THE BELLE

Of Upper Tennessee County,

Who Charges a Shameful Crime

On Her Father, the Richest Man in the District,

Is the Cause of a Triple Murder Done Yesterday.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., December 29.—Marion and Dave Beatty and Gwin Cowden of Fentress county—on the Upper Tennessee—die dead in their houses and Edward Harris, their murderer, is a fugitive from justice, with a reward offered for his apprehension.

Three months ago, Mary Beatty, a sister of the dead men, and the belle of upper Tennessee county, retired from society. Then it became noised about that the young woman had become a mother.

The story was substantiated some time after by the sudden arrest of Claiborne Beatty, a banker and the richest man in the county, at the instigation of the girl—his daughter—who charged him with being the father of her child.

A HORNET'S NEST.

This stirred up a hornet's nest, and so fearful were the jailer and sheriff of a mob, that they removed him from the jail, and into another county for safe keeping. The neighbors and friends began to take sides, some with the wronged girl, others with the father.

Finally Beatty gave a heavy bond and left the country.

Mary Beatty went to live with some distant relatives, Hiram Harris' family, who lived at Allardt, not far from Jamestown.

The Harris family, accompanied by Mary Beatty, came to town Monday to do some trading and to appear before the Grand Jury to testify against her father. The Beattys were there with their friends and relatives.

KILLED ALL THREE.

The court adjourned at 4 o'clock, and after making some purchases the Harris family and Mary Beatty started for home. When the Harris family left the courthouse yard Gwin Bowden and the Beatty brothers mounted their horses and followed them.

One mile from Jamestown Marion Beatty rode up to the side of the wagon and demanded that the girl go home with him, emphasizing the command with a cut on her face with his whip. The girl replied she would rather die than live with him again.

Beatty again attacked his sister when Harris pulled a revolver and shot all three men and then escaped.

The Beattys always enjoyed the respect of the people of the county, and six years ago Claiborne Beatty was a State Representative.

He was extensively engaged in a general merchandise and lumber business. Many people believe the girl's story concerning her father. She was educated, strikingly handsome, about 20 years of age and enjoyed the esteem of everyone in the vicinity.

A report that Miss Beatty and young Harris were married some time ago in Scott county is current, but cannot be confirmed.

DIPLOMATIC CHANGES.

The New German Minister at Washington.

BERLIN, December 29.—The *North German Gazette* says it learns from a reliable source that Dr. Von Holleben, at present the German Minister to Japan, will be transferred to Washington where he will represent Germany in place of Count Arco Valley, who died some time ago. Baron Von Gutschmid, who is now German Minister to Chile, will be transferred to Tokio to take the place made vacant by the transfer of Dr. Von Holleben.

Dr. Von Minckler, now holding a position of Secretary to the German Legation at Constantinople, will, according to the information furnished to the *North German Gazette*, be appointed Minister to Mexico.

DYNAMITED.

A Pennsylvania Hotel and Stable Blown Up.

ALTOONA, Pa., December 29.—The Clearfield hotel and livery stable was blown up with dynamite early this morning. The debris took fire and spread to the adjoining property, destroying five other buildings and consuming eight horses.

The greatest excitement prevailed, as it was feared by the people that an organized attempt to destroy the city was being made.

THE TELEGRAPHERS

Expect Support From the Trainmen in Case of Trouble.

EL PASO, Tex., December 29.—Information is received here that the Chief of the Order of Railway Telegraphers will hold another conference today with the officers of the Southern Pacific road. In the event of the officers of the road not granting the Telegraphers' demands support is confidently expected from the trainmen along the line, as they have been meeting with the Telegraphers.

A Chinaman Fined.

OTTAWA, December 29.—The Minister of Customs inflicted a fine of $50 upon a Chinaman at Victoria, B. C., for endeavoring to defraud the department by personating another individual with a view of obtaining a permit to return to Canada.

A COLORED INFANT

Sent to Sea in a Trunk and Washed Up by the Tide.

ROCKAWAY BEACH, L. I., December 29.—An old leather trunk around which was a short rope, was found imbedded in the sand at low water mark opposite the Ocean House yesterday, by Charles Young Jr. Young opened the trunk and was horrified to find the body of a colored infant, apparently three weeks old. The trunk was evidently washed up by the tide.

GLADSTONE

Talks About the Withdrawal of Irish Members.

LONDON, December 29.—Gladstone, replying to a correspondent inquiring as to his position on the Labor Question in Parliament should the Irish members be withdrawn said, "the fear that British labor will be unable to fight its own battle without the Irish members was entirely visionary. Nor do I know that the Irish members will withdraw under home rule."

VERY LOYAL.

Supposed Indian Devotion to British Rule.

NAGPUR, India, December 29.—The Indian National Congress opened here today with 800 delegates present. An expression of the most earnest love and loyalty to Great Britain was made at the opening.

The Marquis of Lansdowne, Viceroy of India, has been making a tour of the country and was everywhere received with the warmest expressions of loyalty and devotion to British interest.

THE PASSION PLAY

To Be Given by Some British Columbia Indians.

A Race Gathering to Take Place Next Summer at Kamloops Organized by Father Lacombe.

MONTREAL, December 29.—During the first week in June next an extraordinary gathering of Canadian Indians will take place at Kamloops, in British Columbia.

There will be present about 7000 Christian Indians from various parts of British Columbia, and probably a number of pagan Indians.

Rev. Father Lacombe has organized this unique gathering, and during the week the *Passion Play* will be presented by the Christian Indians. The performance is not, of course, the prime reason for the gathering. There is understood to be a desire to meet one another, compare notes and consider educational matters and progress in the arts of civilization.

RECIPROCITY.

The Nations Hastening Their Commercial Treaties.

CHICAGO, December 29.—A Washington special says the President's retaliatory reciprocity proclamation is drafted, but will not necessarily be issued until January 1st.

The sugar producing countries which will be exempt from the provisions on that date are Germany, Brazil, Cuba, Puerto Rico and most of the British West Indies and Sandwich Islands.

But the other countries have been hurrying up their negotiations, and it said that by the middle of February nearly all Central and South America will have concluded arrangements which will give them a continual free market for their sugar, coffee and molasses in the United States.

A HARD FIGHT.

Progress of the Efforts to Bring Sullivan and Slavin Together.

The Making of the Match Depends Upon the Jackson-Slavin Fight Next May.

NEW YORK, December 29.—Representatives, backers and a crowd of admirers of Slavin and Sullivan met at the *Herald* office this noon to arrange the fight between the two men. Both sides were willing to put up their money, but they could not agree. Sullivan declared emphatically that he will not fight Slavin in the event of the latter's losing his fight with Peter Jackson in England next May.

The Slavin contingent wanted to make the match whether their man won or lost with Jackson, but the Sullivan men would not agree to that proposition.

The matter finally was settled by Slavin's agreeing to cable his backers at Monte Carlo for instructions.

The men will meet again in the *Herald* office next Monday, by which time Slavin will have received the instructions he asked for.

PULL AWAY, MY LADS.

Southern Citrus Belt Cities Contesting in a Tug-of-War.

SAN BERNARDINO, Cal., December 29.—The tug-of-war tournament commenced in this city last night at the Pavilion. Six teams entered. The first teams to pull were the Riverside and Highland teams. This was won by Highland in three and one-quarter minutes.

The second pull was between San Bernardino and Redlands, and was won by Redlands in one hour and fourteen minutes.

The third and last teams to pull were those from Mound City and Santa Fe. This tug was won by the Mound City team in two hours and twenty-one minutes. This was a grand contest and a great test of endurance, as the knot never went more than two inches over the center either way for over two hours.

ALL HANDS SAVED.

A Coasting Steamer Ashore on the Mendocino Coast.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 29.—A dispatch to the Merchants' Exchange states that the steamer Whitesboro is ashore at Little River, Mendocino county. All hands were saved. The steamer is a coaster, engaged in transporting railroad ties, and was on her way to this city when she went ashore. The extent of the damage is not yet known.

Gladstone's Eighty-second Birthday.

LONDON, December 29.—Gladstone is 82 years old today. Gladstone is at present at Biarritz, a French watering place on the Bay of Biscay, where he is seeking to recruit his strength in order to perform the Parliamentary duties before him.

PROBABLY WRECKED.

An Atlantic Liner Seen Flying Signals of Distress.

NORFOLK, Va., December 29.—Captain Hopkins of the British steamer Ocean Queen, which arrived here after a storm in which she lost four men, reports that he saw a large ocean steamer, which, from all appearances, was a passenger ship bound from Liverpool to New York, flying signals of distress. Owing to the dense fog he was unable to go to her assistance. When the fog lifted nothing could be seen of the steamer and the British captain is positive she was wrecked.

PAREGORIC FIEND.

A Five Year Old Child Under Treatment at Jagtown.

PLAINFIELD, Ind., December 29.—The Keeley institute at this place has something of a curiosity in the shape of a patient 5 years old who is a confirmed morphine eater. The child was fed the poison from infancy to make it sleep and the serious consequences are easily seen.

Consumptive Cattle.

BANGOR, Me., December 29.—The Maine Cattle Commissioners have posted a quarantine against Massachusetts cattle because of tuberculosis, but the "regulations shall not apply to Western cattle coming through Massachusetts into Maine for the purpose of slaughter."

THE STORM.

Rain Water Is Pouring in Torrents Over the Marshes.

In the lower part of the city the storm is playing havoc with the streets and sidewalks, many of the latter being under water. The gutters are running brim full of storm water, and at the foot of many of the streets between Broadway and Market street the railroad tracks are flooded because the conduits are too small to carry away the large volume of water. A section gang is at work digging trenches under the tracks, and the water is forming large lakes on the marsh.

None of the factories or mills have suffered any inconvenience, however, because they are built on ground that has been raised from the grade of the surrounding property. The bay is unusually high, owing to the great quantity of water poured into it by the rivers and creeks, but not as high as it will be later in the season.

A NEW CORPORATION.

Oaklanders Interested in the Rocklin Granite Company.

Articles of incorporation of the Rocklin Granite Company have been filed with the County Clerk of this county. The capital stock is $50,000, divided into five hundred shares of the par value of $100 each. The subscribers are: F. L. Delano, $25,000; Hiram Tubbs, $12,000; George Lackie, $500; F. W. Henshaw, $500; D. Edward Collins, $12,000.

PIPES ARE LAYING

From the Dingee Water Works in the Piedmont Hills.

Yesterday laborers commenced laying pipes into Oakland from the water works projected by W. J. Dingee. Another flow of 30,000 gallons has been developed and another tunnel is being built to develop a still greater flow.

JOTTINGS ABOUT TOWN.

A lamp fell on a mattress in the residence of H. E. Winslow at Wood and Eighth streets last night and started a fire. The engines responded quickly and there was not much damage done.

C. Dechow has petitioned the Council to release F. Schimmelpfennig from his liquor license bond, as he intends to substitute Mr. Von Duren.

Liquor license bonds have been filed by J. Ludemann of 1236 Broadway, and Walkenhorst & Schultz of 523 Twenty-fourth street.

W. Sagehorn has petitioned the Council for a sewer in Fourth street, from Brush to Castro.

A charge of assault has been placed against Harry Haynes, the boy who shot young Carillo with a parlor rifle.

Peter Arnold was to have been tried before a jury in the Police Court this morning for battery on young Hampal in East Oakland, but Attorney Fitzgerald for the defense was unable to be present, and the case went over to February 11th.

The third annual meeting of the shareholders of the People's Building and Loan Association was held on December 28th. Reports of officers were presented and the following directors were elected: J. W. Phillips, Charles D. Pierce, J. S. White, C. E. Snook, C. E. White, Frank H. Brooks, J. E. Johnston, J. P. Garlick and E. P. Vandercook. The affairs of the association were shown to be in a flourishing and satisfactory condition.

The rainfall for the present storm is nearly two inches, of which one inch fell during the night. For the season the total so far is 5.13 inches. The indications are that more will come.

The Board of Public Works will be in session this evening. Bids will be received for a horse for the police patrol service.

Julia McDonald was arrested this afternoon on a charge of disturbing the peace in the neighborhood of 1419 Myrtle street.

ALONG THE ROAD.

How Mr. Wilder Has Endeared Himself to Local Passengers.

No More Delays at the Pier—The Storm Bound Trains—Huntington Issues an Order.

Some time ago mention was made in these columns that Division Superintendent Wilder was figuring on a scheme to avoid the delay to local passengers on the late trips from San Francisco at the Oakland pier. At the time Mr. Wilder explained to a TRIBUNE reporter, for the benefit of the kicking passengers, that the delay was purely due to the deadhead passengers, who flock into the trains in hundreds in the evenings and delay the trains in arriving at the pier, which in turn causes a delay to the outgoing train. One Saturday night, not long ago, an experiment was tried which proved a success, and now the protesting passenger is silent. It had been the custom to send one of the local engines from the pier to East Oakland every night behind the 9:30 train and make all the late trips with one engine. Now Mr. Wilder has issued an order that this light engine remain at the pier and bring up the 10 o'clock passengers from San Francisco and the engine which brings the 10 o'clock train from Broadway return with the 11:15 o'clock train. This straightens out the difficulty and all the trains now leave the pier on time.

THE RAINFALL.

Condition of the Weather Along the Railroad.

All of yesterday's overland trains had arrived at 10 o'clock this morning, and all of today's trains were reported on time, except the Oregon express, which is having a hard time in making its way through the snow near Dunsmuir. At that place the cyclone snowplow burst a steam pipe yesterday and the push plows are having a hard time in keeping the road clear. The land slide which blocked the trains on the Oregon road at Cow Creek canyon has been cleared away.

During the past twenty-four hours the rainfall has been particularly heavy throughout the State, as the following report will show:

Oakland	1.70
Davisville	.41
Elmira	.91
Suisun	1.63
Vacaville	1.61
Winters	.75
Madison	1.26
Esparto	.55
Ramsey	1.40
South Vallejo	.75
El Verano	2.05
Glen Ellen	2.30
Santa Rosa	1.56
Livermore	.45
Pleasanton	.40
Niles	.92
Haywards	1.04
Brighton	.52
Galt	.55
Ione	.21
Tracy	.22
Byron	.58
Martinez	.75

The Telegraphers.

Grand Chief Ramsey will have a conference with General Manager Towne this afternoon and it is expected an amicable settlement of the Telegraphers' grievance will be effected. Mr. Towne says the only objectionable rule the Order of Railway Telegraphers has is the one making the consent of the Grand Chief of the Order necessary before the company can employ students in its offices. This rule does not appear in the by-laws of the order, and so it can be easily withdrawn.

Mr. Huntington's Order.

For some time the San Francisco newspapers have been publishing the official statements of the Auditor's office, showing the net earnings and operating expenses of the company. This has come to President Huntington's notice, and he has issued an order to Mr. Lansing to keep such things private hereafter.

AUSTRALIAN FEDERATION

Delayed, but Not Defeated—Extensive Bush Fires.

MELBOURNE, December 29.—The Governor of Victoria prorogued the Colonial Parliament today.

His Excellency, in closing the session, said he regretted that difficulties had arisen in dealing with the Commonwealth bill, but believed the federation of the Australian Colonies was being delayed—not defeated. He added that the financial prospects of the Colony were promising, and good reports were received concerning harvest.

SYDNEY, N. S. W., December 29.—Extensive bush fires have swept over the districts of Albany, Wagga Wagga, Temora and Mudgee, causing immense damage to the crops. A large number of livestock were burned to death.

AFTER GRAVES.

The Attorney for the Prosecution in His Address

Expresses the Conviction That the Defendant Poisoned Mrs. Barnes by From a Distance.

DENVER, December 29.—In the Graves trial today immediately after Judge Rising's charge to the jury, Mr. Peace began his closing argument for the prosecution. In the course of his remarks he said: "You are determining an important question of life and death. The law asks you to take what the law cannot give again.

"The law requires you to be satisfied without reasonable doubt before you find him guilty.

"If Dr. Graves did not prepare the fatal draught that sent his benefactor to death, and you do not believe he did from the evidence, then let him go.

"It is not because counsel can create a fact or because attorneys have any right to insist upon any unfair conclusion.

"It is because a solemn duty rests upon us as well as you; it is because the law requires us to seek truth, and it is because of this that counsel may be able to refresh your recollection so as to guide you toward the truth. With that notion of the duty of counsel I come before you.

"Is there any doubt that Josephine Barnaby died a victim of poison?

"I think not. I have no fear in saying so, as all the testimony showed that Mrs. Barnaby did so die.

"Was it at the hand of Dr. Graves, who had no allies to assist him, but assaided or aided was he the man? That is the theory you are to solve.

"There is no excuse for any juror in the world to hesitate a moment in bringing in a verdict that he poisoned this woman.

"His relations with her began the year before her husband's death and she was his patient. It is evident to you as it is to me and to her children that a husband who has spent a long life with his wife better understands her needs and the proper limitations to be placed on her after his death than a tramp or interloper, who comes in after his death. Everybody knows that Mr. Barnaby knew better what was good for her when he made his will, than did those interlopers. But little did he dream when he dedicated his will that in the city of Providence there lived an adventurer of a lawyer and a tramp of a doctor who would rob the woman while he was in his grave."

GOES UP FOR LIFE.

Ex-Policeman Wallace Sentenced for the Murder of Rice.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 29.—The jury in the case of ex-policeman Joseph Wallace, charged with killing Saloonkeeper Albert Rice, June 18, 1889, returned a verdict of murder in the second degree this morning after being out all night.

Judge Troutt then sentenced Wallace to life imprisonment at San Quentin.

This was Wallace's second trial. On the first trial he was sentenced to hang, but obtained a re-trial on a technicality.

A REVOLUTION.

A Decision of Great Political Importance.

ALBANY, N. Y., December 29.—A decision was handed down this afternoon by the Court of Appeals in the contested election cases, which appears to give the Democrats the control of the Senate.

Chicago Markets.

CHICAGO, December 29.—Close—Wheat, weak; cash, January, 89⅝; May, 95¼@95⅝. Corn, easy; cash, 39⅝@39¾; December, year, 39⅝; January, 39¾; May, 41⅝. Oats, easy; cash, 32; January, 30¾; May, 32⅝@32¾. Pork, dull; cash, $7 50; January, $10 20@$10 22½; May, $10 82½. Lard, dull; cash, $5 97½; January, $5 95@$5 97½; May, $6 32½. Barley, nominal, 59.

Field Sails.

NEW YORK, December 29.—Edward M. Field is alarming his keeper at Ludlow street jail. He still persists in fasting.

SHE IS GONE.

Death of Mrs. C. M. Garcelon, Oakland's Richest Woman.

Only Sister and Chief Legatee of the Late Dr. Merritt.

She Succumbs to an Attack of La Grippe After a Short Illness.

Mrs. Catherine M. Garcelon, the richest woman in Alameda county, and one of the richest in California, died at 5:30 o'clock this morning at her home on the block bounded by Jackson, Madison, Fourteenth and Fifteenth streets. She had not been well for some time, but did not take to her bed until a week ago last Friday. At that time Drs. Agard and J. S. Adams were called in, and found her suffering from la grippe, complicated by bronchitis. She gradually grew weaker, and death came after a long period of unconsciousness.

Mrs. Garcelon was the only sister of the late Dr. Samuel Merritt, from whom she inherited her great wealth. She was born in Harpswill, Cumberland county, Me., not far from Brunswick, on August 9, 1814. Consequently she was 77 years, 4 months and 20 days old.

At the age of 19 she married Dr. Garcelon, then a practicing physician of Harpswill. The two afterward moved to Benton, Me., and were there when, in 1861, Dr. Merritt urgently solicited them to come to Oakland, Mrs. Garcelon to keep house for him and Dr. Garcelon to attend to some of his affairs. They came to California by way of the isthmus of Panama, and reached San Francisco on the steamer Orizaba in November, 1861. They came at once to Oakland, and

Mrs. C. M. Garcelon.

Mrs. Garcelon resided in the house where she died from that time on. Dr. Garcelon died there on February 7, 1877.

No children were born to Dr. and Mrs. Garcelon, and none were adopted by them, so there are no direct heirs. Her next of kin are her nephews, Fred A. and James Merritt, who are well known in this community. It is known that Mrs. Garcelon left a will, and it is generally rumored that in it she made provision for the endowment of a large hospital or other eleemosynary institution.

Mrs. Garcelon lived an unusually quiet life. Her career was altogether free from adventure of any kind. Since coming to Oakland she has not gone into society and was never an entertainer. She was not affiliated with any church or religious organization. In later years she rarely left the house except to drive out and do her shopping.

She was deeply attached to her brother, Dr. Merritt, as he was to her. After her husband's death she devoted herself to her brother, and it was a matter of general comment among those who knew her that she "lived only for him." She was his elder and her friends did not think she would long survive him.

Dr. Merritt died on August 17, 1890, leaving an estate which was believed to be worth at least $3,000,000. In his will, which was filed for probate on August 20th and formally offered on August 27th, he named Henry Rogers and Israel Lawton as his executors. He made bequests to Mr. Rogers of a half interest in the Merritt House property at the corner of Twelfth and Franklin streets, of $10,000 to the Old Ladies' Home, of $50,000 for a monument, and to relatives something like $125,000—some of it in annuities. Then to Mrs. Garcelon he gave an annuity of $5000 and made her residuary legatee by the following provision:

Twenty-first—All the residue and remainder of my estate, real, personal and mixed, and of every name and nature I give to my sister, Mrs. C. M. Garcelon of the city of Oakland, one-half of the income of which, after deducting taxes and other necessary expenses, to be devoted to such charitable uses and purposes as she may elect for the period of ten years.

The income was estimated at nearly or quite $75,000 a year. So far as known, no great portion of this income has since been given to charity. As a consequence, it is supposed that in her will Mrs. Garcelon has endowed a charitable institution or hospital. There is also a rumor that her endowment will be for a public library.

There was no contest over the will. All the bequests were paid. The nephews, who had been cut off with very little, were given handsome sums when they employed W. W. Foote to make a contest for them. All other heirs and legatees were settled with in short order, and the estate was closed up and the executors discharged in less than a year. Then Mrs. Garcelon appointed ex-Judge John A. Stanly and Stephen Purington her trustees and placed her property in their hands.

In view of these facts the deceased must have owned property worth nearly or quite $2,500,000, and there is a great deal of speculation as to how she will bestow it. It is known that ex-Judge Noble Hamilton drew a will for her shortly after Dr. Merritt's death, but it is understood that ex-Judge Stanly drew a subsequent will.

Mrs. Garcelon's funeral will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the family residence. The Rev. J. K. McLean of the First Congregational Church will conduct the services. The interment will be in Dr. Merritt's lot in Mountain View.

Notwithstanding her long residence here very few people knew Mrs. Garcelon. To those who did know her she appeared a kindly, gentle woman, with few impulses and fewer emotions. These people will mourn her sincerely.

TIN PLATE WORKS.

A Big Factory to be Erected in Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, December 29.—The N. & G. Taylor Company, which has been operating a small tin plate factory here, today completed arrangements for the erection of works in this city, which, when completed, will be the largest establishment of its kind in the United States.

DOWN IT CAME.

A High Electric Light Mast Falls in Alameda.

It Misses a Brick Building, but Causes a Healthy Amount of Excitement.

ALAMEDA, December 29—12 M.—There was a mighty noise at 5 o'clock this morning, which could be heard far above the wind and splashing rain. The tall electric light tower that stood for five years on Park street, directly opposite Pacific avenue, fell with a crash. A rotten guy post in the yard of Judge Crosby gave way and the cast iron stem, swayed by the wind that was blowing a gale, took a tumble and in less than a minute afterward it lay on Pacific avenue.

At the northwest corner of Park street and Pacific avenue is the brick building of Charles Fossing, and it had a most narrow escape, while the occupants in the store were badly frightened. Had the tower struck this building, it would have crashed through, and death may have resulted. The tower, however, fell just to the south of the building, touching only the farther end of the awning on Pacific avenue, which it broke into splinters.

The tower was 125 feet high, and snapped off twelve feet from the ground. It is made of cast iron, is hollow, and was supported in position by four guy ropes that were secured to pine posts. This is where the fault lay, for to the use of pine for such a purpose is attributable the falling of the tower. An examination of the broken post shows that at the ground, where it broke off, it is rotten, and as soft as a mushroom. Several months ago, the rotten condition of these posts was discovered, and it was decided to substitute redwood posts. Three months ago, a redwood post was brought to Judge Crosby's place, and has since been lying on the sidewalk. There are many taxpayers, including Judge Crosby, who want to know why the new post was not used.

There are twelve other towers remaining and all of them are exposed to the same danger. The electric light plant was built in 1887 by the Jenney Electric Company of Indianapolis, which has since gone out of existence, and as the fallen tower is wrecked beyond repair, it is doubtful whether another one can be obtained to replace it.

It is asserted by some that where the tower snapped there was an old crack. The original cost of the tower, including its setting up, was about $1000.

A driver of a milk delivery wagon named Chisholm had a narrow escape. He was driving up Park street when the tower fell and the noise scared his horses and caused a runaway. Chisholm was thrown out and the horses ran to the milk ranch near Fruit Vale.

It now looks as if the attempt to open Lincoln avenue will fail, and so sure is Alfred H. Cohen, who represents his mother in her protest, that he will fail, that he does not think it is necessary to appear before the City Trustees, and advance any other argument than that contained in the protest on file.

Trustee Randolph has stated several times that he will vote to sustain the protest, giving as a reason that proceedings are now on foot to open Santa Clara avenue through the Cohen estate, and he thinks they should be completed first before anything is done with Lincoln avenue. The other Trustees are quite warm on the proposition, and it is quite likely that a motion to sustain the protest will prevail at the meeting of the Trustees next Monday evening.

A man named Walter E. Rice, 35 years of age, was sentenced this morning to thirty days in the County Jail for battery upon his father, W. L. Rice, 60 years of age, at the West End. The son has been on a spree for several days, and crazed with liquor, went home last evening and made a savage attack on his parents. He is a carpenter.

The cigar store of the Zingg Bros. on Park street was broken into last night and fourteen boxes of cigars were stolen. Entrance was gained from the rear.

WILL SELL LIQUOR.

The Decision in Regard to the Columbian Exposition.

It Will Only Be Sold in the Restaurants. The National Board Not Yet Consulted.

CHICAGO, December 29.—A local paper says liquor will be sold at the World's Fair. It was not known definitely until yesterday that the directors had agreed on the liquor programme.

President Baker said, "It was definitely decided months ago that liquor should be sold at the exposition."

It will only be on sale in the restaurants. It was stated by Director Butler, acting chairman of the Ways and Means Committee, that no final action was taken by the committee, but it is understood by all the members of the committee that liquor will be sold on the grounds.

The National Commission has yet to be consulted in the matter.

A FATAL BLUNDER.

Five Men Killed Because of a Mistake in Train Orders.

CHILLICOTHE, Mo., December 29.—By a mistake in train orders a disastrous collision occurred between two freight trains on the Hannibal and St. Joseph Railroad seven miles east of here early this morning, resulting in the death of four trainmen and the fatal wounding of two others. The dead are:

ENGINEER BUSBEE,
FIREMAN BARRY,
BRAKEMAN GILMORE and
BRAKEMAN BELLE.

Engineer Hannan will die.

Eleven cars of cattle were wrecked. The wreck caught fire and the poor animals were slowly roasted to death.

AN EASY GUESS.

The Government Weather Sharp Thinks It May Rain.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 29.—The Signal Service forecast is rain.

OROVILLE, December 29.—There was a heavy rain last night, 1.10 inches having fallen in twelve hours, making for the season 6.19 inches.

CORNING, December 29.—This is the second storm this week with rain. Last night the wind was very high. Seventy-hundredths inches of rain fell on Sunday night; season, 3.39.

HOLLISTER, December 29.—It has been raining lightly but steadily since 11 o'clock last night with every prospect of continuance.

The Sick List.

WASHINGTON, December 29.—Senator Proctor's slight attack of the grip still confines him to his residence.

Congressman Wright is better today.

Speaker Crisp is stronger today and is able to sit up.

The New French Minister.

WASHINGTON, December 29.—M. Patenotre, the newly appointed French Minister to the United States, paid his respects to Secretary Blaine today.

COURT NOTES

Public Administrator Jennings has applied to the court to be appointed administrator of the estate of James E. Smith, deceased, who left real estate in Oakland valued at $2000.

The Union Savings Bank has filed an answer to the suit of W. H. Codington, executor of the estate of William Codington, to recover $3000 on deposit in the bank. The defendant asserts that the money was deposited in the names of William Codington and Jacob S. Taber, trustees. The bank wants a decision of the court in the matter.

J. H. Troy, J. M. Lathrop and T. M. Robinson have appraised the estate of Dennis Maloney, deceased, at $7116.

COURT CALENDAR.

FOR DECEMBER 30, 1891.

No courts tomorrow.

STILL IN DANGER.

An Aged, Divine Lying on the Brink of the Grave.

There was not much change in Rev. Dr. Akerly's condition today. His illness is

Rev. Benjamin Akerly.

serious, but he is receiving the very best of care and the physicians at his bedside hope that he may have a favorable turn very soon. He is suffering from pneumonia, which developed from an attack of grip recently contracted.

At 3 o'clock this afternoon it was reported that Dr. Akerly was dying and could not survive an hour.

At 3:15 P. M. it was reported that Dr. Akerly is dead.

ARTFUL MR. BROWN.

How He Started in to Beat the Poolroom Syndicate.

His Little Game Discovered, Though, and Completely Checkmated.

There was trouble at the poolrooms today.

When Whitehead, Kingsley, Schwartz et al. took possession of the place on Eighth street, they made every arrangement to prevent any opposition to their interests. As members of the Pacific Bookmakers' Association they had the sole right to the race-course distributes and felt secure. But then over in San Francisco they had had to contend with small "crushers" players who rented a room, generally a cellar, and made books for small amounts like a quarter and 50 cents. This case of speculators round for information regarding betting results, etc., on tracks which ran to and from the big poolrooms conveying the desired information.

Now with the object of preventing any repetition of such practices, hole watchmen were placed at the doors, with orders to allow none of the touts to pass in or out. Next door to the poolrooms though, is a beer hall, and during the day thirsty plungers drop in occasionally and slake their appetites. To-day it was learned that a near little game was being played.

In the saloon a man named Brown, who formerly ran one of the cellar joints in San Francisco has been quietly conducting a little bookmaking business on his own account. His scouts have been in the habit of innocently dropping into the poolrooms, looking at the betting and so forth and then posting him so that he could keep within the line of fluctuations. This, of course, gave Brown the advantage of all the poolroom's information, telegrams, etc., for nothing, and the prospects were quite bright from a financial point of view.

The moment the bookmakers discovered what was going on, though, they put their foot on the whole thing. They instructed their watchmen to allow no one coming out of the saloon to enter the poolrooms under any consideration. Brown's men were therefore checkmated at once, but some of them endeavored to force their way into the rooms and some lively scenes occurred. The saloon keeper, too, turned up quite indignant at the damage done to his business, but the bookmakers would not be talked down, so now Brown and his friends will have to figure on some other scheme to beat the racing men.

MARIE STRELINGER,

The Wife of the Actor, M. B. Curtis, Now in Jail.

Alleges That She Has Been Swindled Out of Her Property at Berkeley by a Conspiracy.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 29. — Marie Strelinger, wife of M. B. Curtis, the actor, has filed a complaint in which she charges that James McCarthy, M. W. O'Connor and H. E. Chesebro conspired and confederated to extort money from her; that on the 15th of last October, O'Connor represented that he could dispose of the Alameda property to an Eastern syndicate, and introduced McCarthy to her, to whom she stated that she would sell the property for $175,000.

OUR BOYS

Are Well Fixed for Fight.

The "Charleston" Not at San Diego.

Egan Was Not Invited to the Festivities.

Pushing the Work on the Steel Plates for the Ships.

SAN DIEGO, December 29.—According to Admiral Brown, who is now here with the San Francisco, the Charleston left Honolulu for Acapulco. Whether the Charleston will come north or go south from Acapulco the Admiral declined to say. In regard to the extra ammunition aboard the San Francisco Captain Samson says: "We have enough to fill up the Charleston and Baltimore and put them in campaign condition."

It is believed here the San Francisco has orders to remain at this port until the diplomatic relations with Chile take one turn or another, and that her disposition in the future will depend upon the turn those diplomatic relations take. The Baltimore is expected here about Thursday.

The report that the cruiser Charleston anchored off Coronado late last night was unfounded. The cruiser has not arrived here, nor has she yet been sighted off this port.

NO NEWS AT WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, December 29.—There is no news obtainable at the State or Navy Departments today respecting the Chilean matter. No movements of ships are reported, and the officials say there is no change in the situation.

HOBNOBBING WITH A FOREIGN FLEET.

NEWPORT, R. I., December 29.—Official orders were received at the torpedo station to get the dispatch boat Cushing ready for immediate service and a full gang of engineers was put to work on it, so that by the end of the week it may be all ready for launching.

EGAN NOT INVITED.

NEW YORK, December 29.—According to a Washington correspondent Minister Egan was not invited to the festivities attending the inauguration of President Montt in Santiago on Saturday.

That is the inference drawn by the State department officials from a telegram received from Minister Egan late this afternoon, in which he states that the inauguration passed off successfully, and was followed by a banquet on Saturday night.

The banquet was attended by the Chilean officials and Congressmen, and all the foreign ministers in Santiago with which the Administration is maintaining pleasant and amicable relations.

The officials at the State Department had no explanation to give of the Minister's course. He had been advised to use his own judgment, and the belief prevails that the Minister felt it was not consistent with the self-respect and dignity of his position to say nothing of the absolute danger to his person there in appearing in the streets to attend the ceremonies in view of the manner in which he has been treated since the revolution ended.

PITTSBURG, December 29.—Superintendent Abbott of Carnegie, Phipps & Co., is summoned by telegraph to Washington by the Secretary of the Navy in relation to the armor and deck plates, which the firm is supplying for the war ships now building. The telegram ordered him to leave on the first train and he will take his departure this evening.

The rumors of the feverish activity with which the government is pushing the work on the war vessels in the light of the strained relations with Chile have not received new confirmation locally. A member of the firm of Carnegie, Phipps & Co., was interviewed this morning, and said: "There is nothing unusual in relation to our contracts, nor any extraordinary rush. It is customary to receive many dispatches concerning the work, and also for some member of the firm to be called to Washington on the same business.

"We have been shipping as fast as completed the protected deck plates for the New York. The plate for the Monterey is yet in an unfinished condition, that is, it has not been tested, and we have received no orders to ship without the usual tests."

WASHINGTON, December 29.—Secretary Blaine was at the Cabinet meeting which lasted until nearly 2 o'clock. He had no news to give out respecting the Chilean situation, and said there was none.

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CLAIMS ALLOWED.

A Large Batch of Bills Passed by the Supervisors Yesterday.

The Auditor Will Be Ready to Draw Warrants on the Treasurer Next Thursday.

At the meeting of the Board of Supervisors yesterday the following bills were allowed and ordered paid:

County General fund—Alameda Macadamizing Company, $258 00; J. M. Alviso, $3; O. Button, $3; John L. Bromley, $117 20; Philip Betz, $117 20; J. B. Baxter, $117 00; E. A. Bushell, $117 20; J. E. Boyd, $1 20; L. Barnett, assignee of G. H. Dieke, $3 50; Burnham, Standford & Co., $39 05, $15 00; D. Buhsen, $15 16; W. Brummer, $7 50; J. N. Bonham, $10 25; A. W. Bogart, $4 25; J. Benison, $27; H. A. Barry, $15; J. H. Chipman, $2 60; California Bank & Trust Company, assignee of R. L. Nixon, $21; California Bank & Trust Company, assignee of J. C. Coolidge, $34 50; J. C. Coolidge, $20; I. N. Chapman, $7 20; A. Carlisle & Co., $10; Contra Costa Water Company, $91; Patrick Curley, $34 20; James Cummings, $24 00; H. C. Dexter, $340; E. M. Derby & Co., $376 76, $202 40, $13 25, $60 14, $ 0 01; Enquirer Publishing Company, $20; Encinal Lumber Company, $35 17; John Fennessey, $117 00; C. F. Fischer, $79 68; A. W. Feidler, $10; G. W. Frick, $11 00; L. Goldberg, assignee of P. Maloney, $4 25; Robert Gay, $117 20; Harry Germain, $51; John Gunnyg, assignee of W. Morton, $28; William Holtz, $117 40; Robert Hekes, $178 53; R. Harmon, $40; Joseph Hirschfield, $3; John R. Hortenstine, assignee of C. J. Lucas, $16; John Holden, $10 55; J. Healey, $25 00; Joseph Isherwood, $53; W. W. Jacobs, assignee of H. Hatschilm, $115 40; W. W. Jacobs, assignee of F. Semina, $117 20; John W. Jackson, $60; Joe Gam, $75; Judson Manufacturing Company, $19 32; Tom Jordan, $13; William Knox, $91; William Kirchner, assignee of N. F. Cuff, $23; William Kirchner, assignee of P. Olsen, $23 50; William Kirchner, assignee of J. McGuire, $18 50; D. A. Kearney, $31 50; J. T. Kearney, $87 75; F. S. Langley, $3; M. R. Lyle, assignee of W. T. Gibbs, $31; Eugene Lynch, $10 00; James Lavelle, $9 50; L. M. Lyster, $2; P. M. Looney, $55 87; Theodor Meetz, $117 00; C. W. Meese, $37 20; B. Meres, $2 50; J. T. Moran, $10 65; W. C. Moran, $20; Patrick Murphy, $34 50; W. H. Noy, $117 00; John Nobman, $117 60; George L. Nusbaumer, $50, $125; Oakland Rubber Stamp Company, $10 75; Peter O'Connor, $15; Oakland Mattress Company, $37; Pacific Postal Telegraph Cable Company, 60 cents and 65 cents; A. O. Perry, $4; Harry Richards, $30 75; C. M. Rosenberg, assignee of Harry Wells, $24; William S. Roberts, $25; Louis Shaffer, $111 20; J. L. Sturgeon, $32; C. Schroder, $112 50; Sunset Telephone Telegraph Company, $8 40; San Leandro Gas Light Company, $20; Towle & Broadwell, $7; W. D. Thomas, $3; W. R. Thomas, $153 20; T. P. Turnbull, $10; Henry W. Taylor, $21 25; J. B. Vosburgh, $4 15; J. L. Wellbye, $56 26; J. B. Woolsey, $9; T. P. Wyckoff, $12; E. O. Webb, $119 60; C. P. Westphal, $21; John G. Young, $41; Henry Young, $46 25; Richard Young, $6 50; C. J. Zabe, $117 40; A. B. Dixon, $16; A. E. Poirier, $10; J. J. Racine, $10; E. E. Lawrence, $10; R. E. McClellan, $10; C. S. Orcutt, $10; A. J. Taynton, $10; W. J. Sandersan, $10.

County Infirmary fund—H. Arendt & Co., $48; Ainsworth & Maxwell, $12; A. A. Brunje, $5, $5 60; D. Buhsen, $15; Phillipe Bossi, $65 50; Bay State Mercantile Company, $93; George Beck & Co., $47; Peter Baker, $126 05, $80; James Clark, $75; Mrs. A. G. W. Cummings, $10; P. A. Dean, $138; S. Ehrman, $42; Enos & Tavares, $18; C. F. Fischer, $10; F. B. Granger, $4; J. M. Greenhood, $5, $5, $5; Hortenstine Bros., $20, $112; Harrison & Boyce, $41; Mrs. L. Hanraban, $24, $8; Home Mutual Insurance Company, $105 30; Helmke Bros., $6; Jackson & Clark, $2 50; Philip Kelly, $41; McMillan & Cox, $6; Pheim & Fish, $10; C. P. Reed, $6; W. T. Ralph, $10; Schroeder & Burns, $22, $5; Smith & Beswith, $108 50; Henry Smyth, $23 60; A. C. Sargent, $5, $5, $5, $10; Sahinger Brothers, $10; C. J. Shoe, $12; G. Tantenna, $32; W. M. Watson & Co., $131 25; G. J. Williams, $7.

Brooklyn Road fund—E. M. Derby & Company, $1.

Castro Valley Road fund—James McCoy, $186.

Centerville Road fund—J. S. Duarte, $20; Antone G. Francisco, $15; J. S. Gomes, $20; A. S. Gallery, $12; Hawes & Dusterberry, assignees of M. H. Silveira, $24; Hawes & Dusterberry, assignees of M. R. Betancourt, $20; Hawes & Dusterberry, assignees of S. N. Silva, $12; A. Raposo, $2; Sergo F. Silva, $10; Mrs. Anicets Silva, $20; C. J. Thom, $2; C. J. Thom, assignee of J. Rogers, $20; C. J. Thom, assignee of Mrs. F. Silva, $20.

Dublin Road fund—Rodger Farion, $24.

Fruit Vale Road fund—J. W. McCoy, $17.

Mount Eden Road fund—A. C. Bloomer, assignee of J. Schwab, $22; H. L. Peterman, assignee of C. Beck, $7.

Mission Road fund—N. N. Jacobs, assignee of H. C. Steinmetz, $2 50.

Niles Road fund—Fred Bass, $38; Thomas Bedard, $23 50; Thomas Bedard, assignee of J. J. Martin, $20; Thomas Bedard, assignee of D. Moore, $25; Thomas Bedard, assignee of G. H. Hudson, $28; California Bank and Trust Company, assignee of R. Bonner, $28; G. E. Cuttenden, $28; Frank Howard, $28; Tim Jordan, $32, $1; John Murray, $14; Frank Rose, $36; James Rose, $28; William Snyder, assignee of H. Baldwin, $26; T. J. Sullivan, $60; David Tyson, $25; Ben Tyson, $28; Joe Tyson, $28; H. Youngman, $34.

Newark Road fund—John Rogers, assignee of E. S. McElroy, $24; F. Falk, assignee of John Martin, $51; F. Falk, assignee of M. Martin, $72; Hawes & Dusterberry, assignees of C. Muller, $18; Frank Jolin, $32.

Ocean View Road fund — John Fitzpatrick, $36; Henry W. Taylor, $1.

Peralta Road fund—H. A. Barry, $1; Thomas Cuff, $37 50; Patrick Curley, $1; James Cummings, $1; William Kirchner, assignee of N. F. Cuff, $1; William Kirchner, assignee of R. Olsen, $1; William Kirchner, assignee of J. McGuire, $1; D. A. Kearney, $1; T. J. Kearney, $1; Patrick Murphy, $1; Henry Young, $1.

Pleasanton Road fund—John B. Hortenstine, assignee of C. J. Lucas, $1; George L. Nusbaumer, $24 10; George True, $10.

Piedmont Road fund—California Bank and Trust Company, assignee of W. H. Lee, $36; California Bank and Trust Company, assignee of E. O. Driscoll, $14; Contra Costa Water Company, $54.

San Lorenzo Road fund—E. M. Derby & Co., $1; G. J. Schafer, $36; G. J. Schafer, assignee of H. Baker, $31.

Temescal Road fund—J. Benison, $1; Contra Costa Water Company, $25 50; Harry Germain, $1; J. Gunnip, assignee of W. Morton, $1; John Holden, $1; J. Healey, $1; J. Isherwood, $1; J. Lavelle, $1; George L. Nusbaumer, $1, $5; W. S. Roberts, $1; J. B. Woolsey, $1; Richard Young, $1.

Vallecitos Road fund—Henry Behrens, $117; Robert Ellis, assignee of G. Wilson, $28 80; Charles Hadsell $46; George Wilson, $96; J. L. Wellbye, $1.

The bills will be payable next Thursday. The board adjourned to next Monday.

NILES.

NILES, December 28.—L. G. Pease of San Francisco was at Mrs. Babb's on Saturday last.

C. L. Heartt returned Saturday from a trip to Salt Lake.

Harry Knowles of Santa Cruz was in town last week.

Mrs. James Easterday spent a few days last week with friends in San Jose.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. McCord and Miss Buck of San Francisco visited last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Butts.

Miss Jackson, who has been stopping for some time with Mrs. Butt, went to Oakland last Saturday to attend her brother's wedding, and will return to Niles after the holidays.

Mr. Easterday's new cottage is fast nearing completion.

Our genial Postmaster, W. F. Dickey, is able to be out again after his recent illness.

Mrs. Frank Sharp is very ill with pneumonia and is attended by Dr. Young of Irvington.

C. L. Heartt and daughter, Miss Estella Heartt, will return to Los Angeles on the 27th inst., after a three-weeks' visit at Niles.

On last Sunday night the residence of John Harding in the Niles canyon was totally destroyed by fire. The family was away from home and all the household and personal effects were lost. Mr. Harding has been the bridge tender in the canyon for the railroad company for fifteen years.

Mrs. D. M. Conner is recovering from her severe illness.

The Chautauqua Circle will not meet again until January.

Both the hotels are full of guests and unable to accommodate all who apply.

Mrs. Major Green and children of San Francisco, who have been stopping at the Grand Hotel for a few weeks, returned to the city last week much improved in health.

Mrs. H. Baldwin of the Baldwin House has returned from a visit to Turlock and is accompanied by her son Thomas.

Mrs. Bell, at the California Nursery, is quite ill with the grip.

S. W. Easterday turns out with a handsome two-seated carriage recently purchased in San Jose.

Miss Alice Lamb is up from San Francisco to spend the holidays with her parents.

The Baldwin Hotel is almost a hospital this week, Miss Carrie Baldwin, who is home from Haywards, Roberts Kenny, James Martin William Bauman, Miss Whipple and Thomas Baldwin are all confined to their beds with la grippe.

Mrs. Fanny Hamilton of Oakland is visiting at Mrs. Turner's this week.

Mrs. W. H. Davis of Livermore has been staying her sister, Mrs. William Snyder.

C. E. Orwenacker will soon leave for Southern California and Arizona in the interest of the California Nursery Company.

Preparations are being made by several families in town for Christmas trees and dinner parties.

Mrs. George Anderson and daughter, Florence, visited in Oakland and San Francisco several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chestnutwood of Santa Cruz spent last Saturday and Sunday with the family of their uncle, Judge H. J. Finden.

Mrs. James Carothers is expected to spend the holidays at home.

The plasterers are at work on Ned Fitzworth's pretty cottage, the beauty of design of which reflects credit on the architect, Edgar Mathews of Oakland.

Henry Tyson and family visited at Judge Ogden's in Oak and last Saturday and Sunday.

The Union Whist Club met last Tuesday evening with Mrs. and Mrs. Jame Tyson. A number of substitutes had to take the places of absent members.

Joe Stamm returned on Saturday last from a three months' visit in the East.

Douglas Cushman left last week to join his uncle in Southern California. Mrs. Cushman and Miss Florence Cushman will follow in a few weeks. They will make their home in Pasadena or Los Angeles.

The platform at the depot is in a miserable condition, but a force of men is laboring for its improvement.

Several members of the Chittenden family are down with the grip, and are attended by Dr. Young of Irvington.

Mrs. H. E. Mosher entertained several lady friends at lunch recently. The house was beautifully decorated with smilax and roses. Mrs. Mosher was assisted in entertaining by her daughters, Mrs. H. R. Hunt and Miss Maude Mosher. About twenty-five guests were present and a very enjoyable afternoon was passed.

The services at the Congregational Church next Sunday will be especially interesting and appropriate to Christmas week.

The Spare Minute Circle met last Saturday evening with Miss Laura Thane. A very pleasant time was had despite the fact that the attendance was small on account of the rain. The next meeting will be held in two weeks with Miss Grace Chisholm, when the *Boomerang* will be read.

The Rain Interferes.

The rain has retarded the street work at Knox Park. However, just as soon as the men are able to work a double force of laborers will be employed and the improvements pushed to completion. In the meantime contracts are being entered into for the erection of fine homes at the park

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NELSON—In East Oakland, December 28, Arthur W., son of John and Betty Nelson, a native of Oakland, aged 1 year, 8 months and 4 days.

☞ Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral THURSDAY, December 31, at 2 p. m., from 1257 Twenty-third avenue, East Oakland.

GARCELON—In this city, December 29, Catherine M. Garcelon, sister of the late Dr. Samuel Merritt, a native of Maine, aged 77 years, 4 months and 20 days.

☞ Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral THURSDAY, December 31, at 10 o'clock a. m., from her late residence, 1213 Madison street.

EY—In Temescal, December 28, Lillie, beloved daughter of Henry E. and Rosalie Ey, a native of Philadelphia Pa. aged 6 years, 3 months and 8 days.

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7.36 A.	Haywards, Niles and San Jose, Gilroy, Tres Pinos, Pajaro, Santa Cruz, Monterey, Salinas, San Miguel, Paso Robles and Santa Margarita (San Luis Obispo) and principal Way Stations	*11.50 A.
8.28 A.	Martinez, Avon, San Ramon, Vallejo, and Calistoga, Sundays excepted to Santa Rosa	5.50 P.
8.33 A.	Sacramento, Redding and Davis	6.45 P.
8.52 A.	Express for Ogden, carrying first class local and through second class passengers	10.10 P.
8.57 A.	Niles, San Jose, Stockton, Lodi, Ione, Sacramento, Marysville, Oroville and Red Bluff	4.20 P.
9.24 A.	Los Angeles Express for Fresno, Bakersfield, Mojave, Los Angeles, Haywards, Niles and Livermore	11.45 A.
12.27 P.	Haywards, Niles and San Jose	6.50 P.
3.25 P.	Haywards, Niles and San Jose	9.20 A.
4.28 P.	Martinez, Vallejo, Calistoga, and Santa Rosa	9.20 A.
4.28 P.	Martinez, Walnut Creek, San Ramon, Stockton	9.20 A.
4.56 P.	Niles and Livermore	*8.20 A.
5.00 P.	Benicia, Vacaville and Sacramento	10.15 A.
5.00 P.	Woodland and Oroville	10.15 A.
5.30 P.	Sunset Route, Atlantic Express, for Santa Barbara, Los Angeles, Deming, El Paso, New Orleans and East	8.10 P.
5.30 P.	Middle Route Atlantic Express for Mojave and East	11.45 A.
6.26 P.	Haywards, Niles and San Jose	7.20 A.
7.30 P.	Central Atlantic Express for Ogden, East 1st cl's	11.10 A.
7.30 P.	Vallejo	8.10 P.
8.00 P.	Shasta Route Express, for Sacramento, Marysville, Chico, Redding, Portland, Puget Sound and East	7.45 A.

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8.15 A.	Newark, Centerville, San Jose, Felton and Santa Cruz	5.14 P.
*2.15 P.	Centerville, San Jose, Almaden, Felton, Boulder Creek & Santa Cruz	*10.44 A.
4.15 P.	Centerville, San Jose and Los Gatos	9.44 A.
6.1.45 P.	Hunters' Train to Newark, Alviso, San Jose and Los Gatos	17.59 P.

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That Perry street in said city, from the center line of Lake avenue to a point 50 feet to the east of the line between lots 6 and 7 of block "K" of the Oakland Heights Tract be sewered with an eighteen-inch diameter pipe sewer; also that "Y" branches of sewer connections be constructed; also that four house connections be constructed thereon located as follows:

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$2300—NEW COTTAGE OF 5 ROOMS, bath, high basement, etc., in Adeline street; terms, $350 cash; balance to suit purchaser. Full particulars of CLOUGH & BAKER, 460 Ninth street.

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FOR NOVEMBER.

OAKLAND, CAL., November 5, 1891.

Personally appeared before me, A. Keen, a Notary Public, in and for Alameda County, State of California, William E. Dargie, Business Manager, and Herbert F. Dozier, Superintendent of Circulation of THE OAKLAND TRIBUNE, who being sworn, depose and say that the total circulation of THE OAKLAND TRIBUNE for the month of October was 247,544 copies, a daily average of 9,404.

William E. Dargie,
BUSINESS MANAGER.

Herbert F. Dozier,
SUPT. CIRCULATION.

Subscribed to and sworn before me, this the 5th day of November, 1891.

A. Keen,
NOTARY PUBLIC.

TUESDAY.....DECEMBER 29, 1891

WHAT rich man will endow or housel to all the people by preventing the city with a suitable building for its free library?

AMONG the streets demanding immediate attention is the lower portion of Webster street. It is a disgrace to the property owners and the railroad in its present condition.

IF by any possibility or because of any factious opposition Oakland should fail to issue bonds at the forthcoming election the city would receive a setback from which it would not recover in ten years.

THREE days ago men were betting futures in clothing with a gloomy idea of hedging on a bad year that this would prove to be a dry season, and today those prophets of evil are in the malligatawney.

THE St. Helena *Star* has issued its annual Christmas edition. It is composed of sixteen pages, filled with a complete and comprehensive history of the Napa valley for the past year, and accounts of the industries of that section. It is, moreover, illustrated.

THE condition of the main roads leading into Oakland is such as to call for heroic treatment. Alameda county is practically out of debt. Cannot bonds be issued to put those thoroughfares in such condition that the people of the country can come into Oakland to do their trading?

THE thriving city of Alameda has one great drawback—the condition of its principal business street. The bustling town of Berkeley carries a great handicap—the lack of a properly equipped fire department. Surely these lively neighbors will not let such things continue to block their prosperity.

UNTIL January 1st THE DAILY TRIBUNE and the *Weekly Examiner* may be had for a year for $6 00. With them will go a fine work of art and an opportunity to participate in the distribution of 5000 premiums worth $135,000. These are the last days of the great offer.

THE Board of Education is moving very slowly in the matter of improving the condition of the Cole schoolyards, which are knee deep in mud. It is true there is now vacation, and the children are not exposed. Like the Arkansaw farmer, the board will not protect the children when it is raining because it is too wet, and when it is dry, of course, there is no need. The yards should be either roofed or bituminized at once.

THE British aristocracy kicked like one great collective bay steer when Belle Bilton, literally and legally daughter of nobody, married into their crowd, but as a matter of fact, there is ample precedent for such unions, and it is largely by such infusions of healthy blood that the caste has been kept upon its otherwise rickety legs. But it was a hard blow at old Clancarty when his son married an actress out of a leg show, for the old man was the head of all the "soupers," and if you don't know what that means ask Father McNally.

Give Your Country the Benefit.

The Stockton *Mail* has a column of abuse of Minister Egan, in which he is called a "conspirator," and a variety of other bad names. We quote a part:

It is unnecessary to recount Egan's indiscretions. It is sufficient to say that he is the most detested man in Chile. And this could not be the case if he were a prudent or worthy person. He has made the name of the American republic a reproach and an object of hatred throughout South America. There is not a more sensitive people in the world than the Chileans, and Egan has bullied, threatened and taunted them almost beyond endurance.

James G. Blaine is responsible for the appointment of Egan, and Egan is responsible for the murder and maltreatment of American sailors in the streets of Valparaiso, and the reader can place the blame for the condition of affairs that exists between this country and Chile where he thinks it belongs.

Why is it so unnecessary to recount these "indiscretions?" One might suppose that these and not the calling of bad names would make the force of the argument. As a matter of fact Egan's course all through this affair has had the continuous and expressed approval of Blaine and Harrison, and we may add, of the American people. It is a known fact that Egan's course has been governed in every step by orders from Blaine and on the latter should the responsibility rest. He is willing to assume it or Egan would have been removed as quickly as Mizner was removed.

In these matters it is a good rule to stand by your country. At least give your country the benefit of the doubt, even if the country may happen to be for the time governed by a party not your own. Your present course suggests a doubt as to what side you would be on should war be declared with Chile, and carries a reminiscence of the action of the dough-faces, who in 1861 staid at home to bite the heels of the administration.

Chicago has no longer any illusions. Seven hundred school children of Sacramento signed a petition to General Manager Towne the week before Christmas asking that the pay-car be sent to Sacramento ahead of time so that it would reach there before Christmas. The young people figured that Christmas presents would be more numerous if the pay-car showed up, hence the petition. Mr. Towne promised to hurry up the car and it arrived in Sacramento in time for Christmas. Mr. Towne has taken the place of Santa Claus and the pay-car of the reindeer team.

About the only objection to the issuing of bonds offered by the few people who oppose them is a dislike for the present Council. As showing how foolish this objection is, the fact should be known that the Council has nothing whatever to do with the expenditure of the money raised by the bonds. The Board of Public Works has full control. And, again, who ever knew a Council in Oakland that pleased everybody?

BY NOW it is not too late to take advantage of the great TRIBUNE-*Examiner* premium offer. There are two days in this week yet and the subscriptions which come in during those two days are just as good to get the best premiums as any others in competition.

MR. [illegible] in total ignorance of the death of Thomas G. Grey yesterday morning, but it will be news to the *Examiner* folks. They like their news with a smack.

BY THE AID of honor on THE WEEKLY TRIBUNE and the *Weekly Examiner* may be had for a year for $2 50, with a chance in the distribution of 5000 premiums, worth $135,000.

AS YET there seems to be no movement toward compelling the cable road companies to put curtains and the wheels of their cars. What are we waiting for—a kicking?

AN electric light or two and a little thatching of the roof would greatly improve the depot on the end of the narrow-gauge pier these dark and stormy nights.

THE Alameda *Statesman* distinguished itself by getting out a valuable holiday number containing much that was useful and interesting in regard to our sister city.

THE Hoskins motor is now so busy as a rain-making machine that its appearance in Oakland and Berkeley will be delayed a few days longer.

The Undertow.

You hadn't ought to blame a man for things he hasn't done;
For books he hasn't writ'en, or for fights he hasn't won.
The waters may look placid on the surface all aroun',
An' yet there may be undertow a keepin' of him down
Since the days of Eve and Adam, when the fight of life began,
It ain't been said, my brethren, for to lightly judge a man:
He may be tryin' faithful for to make his life a success,
An' yet his feet jes' tangled in the treach'rous undertow.
He may not lack in learnin' an' he may not want for brains;
He may be always workin' with the patientest of pains,
An' yet to unexpected, sez, my friends, how can we know
What heights he might a climbed up to but for the undertow.
You've heard the Yankee story of the hen's nest with a hole
An' how one hen kep' layin' eggs with all her might an' soul,
Yet never got a settin, for a single egg! I trow
That hen was simply kickin' 'gin a hidden undertow.
There's holes in lots of men's nests, an' you've got to peep below
To see the eggs a-rollin' where they hadn't ought to go.
Don't blame a man for failin' to achieve a laurel crown
Until you're sure the undertow ain't draggin' of him down.

—*Unidentified Exchange.*

Not on the Sick List.

Dr. A. G. Anthony, reported ill of pneumonia yesterday, is enjoying his usual good health, and says he is working twenty hours a day.

George Barrington, who pleaded guilty yesterday to an attempt to escape from the City Prison, was given thirty days by Judge Ogden today.

SOMEWHAT HUMOROUS.

AN OCTAVO.

"You're a regular octavo!" she exclaimed, as she blushingly escaped from his arms at the parlor door.

"What!" he gasped.

"Eight folds to a leave."

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My love for Erin is so true
I linger at the shore,
And long to cross the ocean blue
To dwell forever more.

But that is needless, for I know
My countrymen so dear,
If I but wait a year or so,
Will all be over here.

* * *

Maid of Harlem, ere we part
Give, oh, give me back my heart!
'Tis not that my love is dead,
Nor by wayward fancy led,
But you hold it, friends allege,
Simply as a Christmas pledge.

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Mr. Newwed—Aren't these biscuits lighter than the conventional bride is supposed to bake?

Mrs. Newwed—I don't know anything about your conventional bride; yours truly buys her biscuits at a biscuitry.

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Garnight—Of what use is it to give a pension to a man who draws and paints like Armor Core?

Van Pelt—Can he draw and paint.

Garnight—Can he? He never draws his pension that he does not paint the town.

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There is a subtle something
About a night latch key;
It acts all right
In broad daylight—
As nice as nice can be.
But when approached at 1 A. M.
You notice it has shrunk;
You know that you are sober
As a twilight in October;
So the keyhole *must* be drunk.

* * *

The lover who lost her by being a slow body,
Who imagined that nothing their passion could upset,
It's easy for him to proclaim her a nobody
The moment that she's Mrs. Somebody Else.

—*Judge.*

* * *

Now from her trunk each maiden
A pile of notes doth bring;
They read them o'er together
And let their laughter ring.

* * *

Tourist (in Kansas)—Can you tell me where the residence of Colonel Hooks, the real estate dealer, is?

Native—Wal, jest now it's four or five miles from here, but pointing to a dark, funnel-shaped cloud in the west)—that's a cyclone comin' over from that way, an' if you'll wait a while the house may come right here to you, and save you the trouble of goin' down there to it.—*Massey's Weekly.*

* * *

Senior Partner—What did you let Addem off for today?

Junior Partner—There has been a death in his family.

Senior Partner—Humph. The same old excuse.

Junior Partner—Oh, I am sure he was in earnest this time. He asked so timidly.

Puck.

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First Tramp (planning over a bit of paper)—Say, Mike, here's a new society a startin' up, for furnish work for th' idle.

Second Tramp—Things is gettin' so there ain't no chance for a gentleman now here.—*New York Herald.*

* * *

First Reporter—How did the *Daily Gotham* obtain a report of the Bishop-Vinegar wedding? No reporters were admitted.

Second Reporter—They beat a new man to it and he looked so scared that all the attendants mistook him for the groom.—*New York Herald.*

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A DEMOCRATIC VIEW.

Teacher—What is that which we call the republican form of government?

Boy Hicks (a democrat)—A fraud.

PERSONAL AND PERTINENT.

Charles Wordsworth, Bishop of St. Andrew's, Scotland, and nephew of the poet Wordsworth, describes in his "Annals of My Early Life" how he once remarked to John Glad stone on the success of his son William at Oxford, to which the father of our venerable old man of today replied: "Yes, sir, my son has certainly distinguished himself greatly at the University, and I trust that he will continue to do so when he enters public life, for there is no doubt he is a man of great ability. But he has no stability." It is a wise father that knows his own son.

Basis of a bear's meal: Boulanger, lately the hero of Paris, now go begging in the French pawnshops and are sold as old bronze to make chandeliers.

The private picture gallery of H. C. Gibson of Philadelphia has long been one of the sights best worth seeing in the Quaker City. Mr. Gibson made his money in whisky and invested it in art. This might well be deemed a genuine public spirit.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Grand—Dr. Frank C. Steaks, Susie Ralph, Oakland; Miss A. Smith, San Leandro.

Grelin—Charles Baxter, Miss A. Ryan, San Francisco; Miss Annie Blaky, Miss Blandy Borges, Santa Rosa; Tony Ryan, Manuel Andres, San Francisco; George A. Campbell Jr., New York; Charles F. Gray, Chicago; A. H. Lavin, Ogden; D. Jamuns, Omaha.

Albany—H. H. Borders, San Jose; H. K. Daniels, Dayton, Ohio; A. D. Godfrey, C. I. Hames, New York; Mrs. T. L. Fletcher, Miss Eva Fletcher, Miss E. G. Fletcher, S. E. Fletcher, L. M. Fletcher, Oakland; Mr. Morgan, Chicago.

Poundmaster O'Connell announces that he will give ten days' grace as regards dog tags which expire at the end of the year.

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THE MONTHLY POSTAL.

A Guide Which You Can Buy for One Cent.

Postmaster Bishop calls attention to the following from the official postal guide:

"The department deems it quite important that all the patrons of postoffices should be supplied with the monthly Postal Guide. It would be to their interest and business advantage, as well as vastly to the interest of the postal service, since it would bring about more accurate knowledge of the requirements of that service, would reduce the amount of mail matter improperly addressed, poorly wrapped, or insufficiently stamped, and would diminish the number of letters and packages going to the Dead Letter Office. Moreover it will keep the people informed of current events affecting the service, and of innovations or improvements made. The department is without an appropriation sufficient to distribute the Postal Guide free to the public, and without authority of law to sell it. It is glad to announce, however, that an arrangement has been made with the publisher by which postmasters may order, from time to time, any desired number of monthly Postal Guides, and may distribute them to the public at about cost, 1 cent a copy. Postmasters are expected in the interest of the service, to bring this fact to the attention of all their patrons and to procure for them any number of copies which may be desired, at that price. There need be no account kept of these transactions, and the only thing necessary is for the postmaster to remit the price with the order to the publisher, George F. Lasher, 1215 Filbert street, Philadelphia, Pa., and deliver the Guides.

CURRENT LITERATURE.

Scribner's Magazine for January begins the sixth year and eleventh volume of this periodical, which now announces a circulation of more than one hundred and forty thousand copies monthly (which is constantly increasing). The plans for the new year include, beside the more purely literary contents, remarkable series on the Poor in the World's Great Cities. Important Historical Moments, by eminent men who took part in them; Out-of-Door Papers; occasional railway articles on Rapid Transit, Australian Railways, Speed in Locomotives; on important water-ways, like the Nicaragua canal, and the water-route from Chicago to the ocean; also travel, exploration and abundant fiction, including the notable serial "The Wrecker," by Robert Louis Stevenson and Lloyd Osbourne.

The number of the *Atlantic Monthly* for January is an exceedingly strong one. It opens with Mr. Crawford's serial, "Don Orsino," and best les the outlines of an interesting story, the incidental picture of the new Rome as contrasted with the Rome of the Pope's temporal power is of really great value. Another feature of the number is Henry James's delightful article of reminiscence and criticism on James Russell Lowell. It deals particularly with Lowell's London, it can be said, in the past that Mr. Lowell loved it, the English literary and social world very appreciatively.

Received With Pleasure.

Translated from the Oakland Journal (German.)

The Christmas number of THE OAKLAND TRIBUNE of Saturday, December 19th, is really a present that will be received with great pleasure not only by the inhabitants of Oakland, but also in other cities in the United and abroad and create a great interest for the paper and Oakland. The compilation of all the important matter relating to Oakland and its surroundings, the latest first news about the great growth of our city, the industries, development of railroads, business improvements; furthermore, about important men who have contributed to the growth of Oakland, hundreds of articles worth reading, also beautiful contributions, poetry, all in one fine in the forty pages of this issue, will all be appreciated earnestly. Besides this the paper is rich in the most unique illustrations, of which each inhabitant of Oakland, Alameda, Berkeley, etc., can be proud of and which may draw in its frame far away places to the beautiful city of Oaks, to the fertile Alameda county, to its sunny, mild climate.

Never Excelled.

Lincoln Times.

THE TRIBUNE of Oakland last Saturday presented its readers with a mammoth forty-page Christmas edition, which has never been excelled in the county and ranks alongside of the more pretentious daily papers of the city. The best writers on the coast have furnished stories appropriate to the occasion, and together with its news columns and other features will hold the lead in journalism in Alameda county for some time to come. The people of Oakland should feel proud of such a paper.

Do not consult anybody, but invest 25 cents in a bottle of Salvation Oil. It kills pain!

When we reflect that so many human beings die of Consumption we must come to the conclusion that everybody should be provided with Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, the poor consumptive's friend.

On Monday, December 28th, we shall commence our Annual Reduction Sale, and continue the same for the next thirty days. Great reductions in all departments.

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Oakland's progress and the history of her prominent citizens presented in attractive form in the Christmas edition of "The Tribune." Send a copy to all your friends. In wrappers for mailing, 5c.

Bulbs! Seeds!

We have just received a very choice assortment of hyacinths, tulips, crocus lilies and other spring flowering bulbs, which we are offering very low. At seed and floral depot, HUTCHISON & SANBORN, corner Fourteenth and Washington streets.

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BERKELEY.

Why Did the University Authorities Appoint a Watchman?

A New Enterprise in West Berkeley. Shattuck Avenue to Be Improved. A New Map.

BERKELEY, December 29.—The Christmas party of St. Mark's Sunday school was given this afternoon at Miss Head's Seminary.

The Committee on Grounds and Buildings of the Board of Regents have under consideration the question of lighting the grounds at night and of placing an ornamental arch over the Oxford street entrance.

A watch night service will be held in the Methodist Church on New Year's eve.

The Magnesian Ochre Company has leased one of the Brickyard buildings on Second street. The company is engaged in the business of making a substitute for white lead from a rock which is found in places in Nevada. The company has been located in the Genoese Flour Mills in San Francisco but two months ago they were burnt out and are just about to recommence operations. The first shipment of rock has been received from Nevada and there is every indication that the company means business. It was incorporated in San Francisco recently with a capital stock of $1,000,000.

The children of the Presbyterian Church will give an entertainment in the Presbyterian Church this evening.

Miss Emma Clark has obtained a leave of absence from her school in San Rafael on account of bad health.

W. J. Shmidt left for Los Angeles last evening on business. He will return on Sunday.

By the appointment of a night watchman (who had been elected a special policeman by the Board of Trustees) the University authorities have evidently shown their intention to stop all night disturbances, such as rushes, bonfires, etc. on the grounds. The student mind will observe this innovation with displeasure and alarm. The probable result will be that the rest of the town will hereafter be the scene of the brave deeds of freshman and sophomore and not one of them of the staid senior. However, the new watchman may manage to make himself scarce at the right time.

N. S. Trowbridge is just recover from his attack of la grippe.

It is hoped that the University library will be opened in the evening by the beginning of the second term, next February. Electric bulbs will be used.

The organ loft of the Congregational Church will be enlarged this week. It is the intention of the Music Committee of the church to organize a choir of twenty-five voices in place of the quartet which now leads the singing.

J. S. Kirvin has removed to San Francisco.

Miss Maggie McNeil is visiting friends in San Francisco.

Miss Jennie Aldrich is visiting in San Jose.

Town Attorney Robinson has been instructed to prepare a resolution of intention for the grading and macadamizing of Shattuck avenue, from Berryman's station to Blake street, on the district plan, provided he gets those interminable street lines straightened out during the next week. The extent of the district has not been decided upon by the Trustees, but it will probably not include more than a block on each side of the street. The resolution of intention for the work from Blake street down to the southern boundary will be presented at the same meeting.

John McCarthy of the *Herald* is getting out a handsome map of Berkeley.

Miss Mattie Shattuck has returned from her visit in Fresno.

WEST OAKLAND.

Practical Jokers Play Some Very Peculiar Pranks.

Hoodlums Disturb the Festivities at the Chase-Street Congregational Church.

WEST OAKLAND, December 29.—Most probably the supposed attempt made last night to "stand up" one of the Fourteenth street car drivers was a joke, as the drivers are continually being annoyed by jokers. Driver Tharsing, who won much fame some time ago by having an electric car smash his car considerably at Fourteenth and Grove streets, was a victim of one of the numerous jokes a short time ago. He received a neatly written letter purporting to have come from the superintendent of the electric road asking that he call at the office and receive a lucrative position for his bravery in the car accident. Tharsing at once made preparations to accept his new position and was on the point of resigning when it struck him that the whole affair might be a joke. Not wishing to be laughed at he sent his wife out with the note to ascertain the truth of the matter, and when she returned Mr. Tharsing soon found out that he was a "fish."

At the Chase Street Congregational Church last night the Sunday school held their Christmas tree entertainment. An enjoyable programme was presented, after which presents and candy were distributed. While the entertainment was in progress a band of hoodlums thought they would entertain the Sunday school after their own fashion, so they caught hold of the bell rope and pulled the great bell incessantly. A search was at once made for the noisy tars but they disappeared when anyone approached. As soon as all was quiet the clanging of the bell again stopped the exercises. This continued throughout the entertainment and marred the pleasures of the evening.

The Christmas entertainment of St. Antony's Church, on Ninth and Kirkham streets, took place last evening. After the exercises presents from a handsomely decorated tree were distributed.

Arthur Sampson of Seward street, who was accidentally shot by a companion some time ago, and while recovering from the wounds was afflicted with pneumonia, is rapidly gaining his health again.

Mrs. George Comeir of Peralta street is dangerously ill with the grip.

The grading, curbing and macadamizing of Sixteenth street, between Kirkham and Adeline streets, is completed. This is a great improvement.

Miss Birdie Backus of 1727 Goss street is ill with the grip.

Growing Worse.

The mortality list becomes more alarming. Nine additional deaths were recorded yesterday afternoon, and this morning the total for the month footed up ninety-six. Nearly all of the cases lately have been the result of the grip or complications arising therefrom, pneumonia being especially fatal.

Diphtheria is also on the increase. It has struck the northern part of the city with much severity, three deaths from the disease having been recorded from the vicinity of Fortieth street and Telegraph avenue during the past few days.

Too Much Water.

First street was almost under water today. At the crossings of Brush, Myrtle, Castro, Filbert and Market streets the roadway is impassable, boats being almost necessary to move around. The accumulation of water is the result of the rushing down from the storm sewers, and the situation is so serious that the paint, mattine and box factories have had to close down. Kendall's planing mill is also in distress, and trade generally is blockaded in that part of town.

EAST OAKLAND.

Mine Host of the Tubbs Hotel Entertains Guests.

A General Demand That the San Leandro Road Be Put in Decent Condition.

EAST OAKLAND, December 29.—Tubbs' Hotel presented a gay appearance Friday night when J. M. Davies, the proprietor, gave his guests a Christmas treat. Throughout the entire building the decorations were beautiful in the extreme. The hallways were transformed into a veritable floral bower with palms, ferns and holly berries, while numberless Christmas trees were prettily decked. The embellishments of the spacious dining room were beautiful. The chief feature was a Star of Bethlehem, which shone from the center of the room above the tops of a number of gaily-adorned Christmas trees. At an early hour an orchestra, concealed amid banks of flowers, struck up a grand march, and the guests danced until late in the evening, when a delicious supper was served.

The choir and Sunday school of the Eighth-avenue Methodist Church will give a Christmas cantata entitled *Santa Claus*, this evening. Elaborate preparations have been made for the affair and it will undoubtedly be a great success.

Miss Myrtle Outram of Fresno is visiting her sister, Mrs. Heilman, on East Sixteenth street.

A petition is being circulated through this district asking that the San Leandro road be repaired. The road is full of ruts and mud and is entirely unfit for driving.

The fence which divides Kennedy street still remains, much to the indignation of the property owners. Does the Superintendent of Streets know it?

The work of re-macadamizing East Twelfth street, from Oak street to First avenue, is nearly completed.

SALVATIONISTS' NEW YEAR'S.

They Will Have a Grand Whoop Up at 1 A. M.

On New Year's eve the Salvation Army will give a "Cosmopolitan Drama," and will hold special services, led by Adjutant and Mrs. Kennohan, assisted by Staff Captain Milsaps and Captains Campbell, James Smith, Willis, Sharp, Fields, Alice Smith, Wilson, Eubanks, Tilquist, Flatty and others. From 7:30 to 8:30 P. M. a torchlight procession with banners and transparencies will take place, followed by a big demonstration in the barracks. At 10:30 P. M. the watch night service will begin, and at 1 o'clock New Year's morning a New Year's march will be headed by the headquarters' brass band from San Francisco. On New Year's day at 2:30 P. M. a love feast will be held in the barracks, and Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Cadman's baby will be dedicated to the cause. From 5 to 7 P. M. a banquet will be served, and at 7:30 P. M. the colossal international march will take place. Adjutant Harry Kennohan will lead the evening service.

TEMPERANCE LADIES.

Semi-Monthly Meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union.

A semi-monthly meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union was held at the headquarters on Clay street yesterday. Mrs. Ada Van Pelt presided, and after the presentation of the usual reports it was announced that the State minutes had been received, and 100 copies were ordered to be kept and sold at headquarters. The matter of keeping open house at the headquarters on New Year's Day was discussed, and it was decided to send invitations to the pastors of the different churches, inviting them and their congregations to attend.

The following committees were appointed for the occasion: Reception—Mrs. S. G. Chamberlain, president; Mrs. Babbitt, vice-president, assisted by other ladies. Music and Entertainment—Mrs. S. C. Borland, Mrs. Southard and Mrs. Lydia A. Prescott. Decorating Committee—Mrs. E. L. Curtis, to choose her own assistants.

Attention was called to the Gospel Temperance meetings held every Sunday afternoon in the Sunday schoolroom of the First Methodist Church at 3:30.

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ALAMEDA.

The Tidal Canal Bridge Celebration Postponed Till Saturday Night.

And the Trustees Wrestle With the Park-Street Sewer Proposition Once Again.

ALAMEDA, December 29.—City Clerk Millington is still sick and unable to perform the duties of his office.

A man wearing a mask entered the dwelling of John O'Brien on Broadway early yesterday morning. One of O'Brien's daughters was awakened, and upon seeing the man uttered a scream that alarmed the household. O'Brien caught a glimpse of the intruder, and hurled a chair at him, but the man escaped, leaving behind his shoes, hat and mask.

Alameda Parlor, Native Sons' of the Golden West, will hold a public installation of officers next Monday evening. A dance will follow.

The horses and wagon of Charles Lund, an East Oakland plasterer, were attached in Alameda yesterday by P. W. Wobbber to secure the payment of a bill in the sum of $20 75.

The owners of the North Alameda tract have received offers for the purchase of some of their land fronting on the tidal canal.

Rev. Father Kirby, assistant pastor of St. Joseph's Church, who has been quite ill, is now able to be around again.

F. H. McCormick has returned from a visit to the Eastern States.

On account of the threatening aspect of the weather, the celebration of the completion of the tidal canal bridge, which was to take place this evening, has been postponed until next Saturday evening.

City Trustee Neal acted as clerk at a meeting of the Trustees last evening. A petition was received from C. Radzewell, C. Miordiercks, John Blum and other property owners on Oak street, asking that it be graded and curbed north of Railroad avenue. Referred to the Street Superintendent to prepare a resolution of intention.

A protest was received from H. Nelson against the laying of an artificial stone sidewalk on Encinal avenue, between Park and Oak streets, and was placed on file.

An extention of thirty days was given Louis Fasking, a sidewalk contractor, who is doing work on Central avenue, between Bay and McPherson streets.

A petition was received from G. A. Plank, T. B. Poole, E. Flecourt, A. W. Bronson, U. Stedman, John Gale and others, asking the board to cause the removal from the public street of the unsightly freight depot located on Encinal avenue, near Regent street. The board did not feel able to cope with the question, and it was referred to the City Attorney to present a written report, telling what power the board has in the matter.

The board then took up the question of laying a new sewer on Park street, and City Engineer Doyer read a lengthy report. He recommended that a new sewer twelve inches in diameter be laid. He estimated that the cost would be about $1 27 per running foot, or a total cost of about $7000.

Mr. Neal said that it had never been determined to the satisfaction of the board who would pay for the new sewer—the city or the property owners.

The City Attorney gave it as his opinion that a sewer laid north of Encinal avenue could be legally assessed to the property owners. Columbus Bartlett stated that he had looked into the question, and came to the same conclusion as the City Attorney. Park street had never been accepted by the city, and the sewer only could not be accepted—the whole street must be taken in.

Then the question rose as to whether it would be advisable to lay the sewer this winter, and a suggestion was made that the Street Superintendent make an excavation at the deepest points of the sewer and determine the condition of the ground.

A communication was received from A. H. Cohen, stating that it was impossible for him to attend the meeting of the Trustees last evening, the time set for hearing the protest against the opening of Lincoln avenue, and desiring to avoid further delay he submitted the matter upon the protest as filed.

Mr. Randolph stated he was ready to vote to sustain the protest, but Mr. Mastick said he was not acquainted with it, never having heard it read, and at his request the matter went over for one week.

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Resolution of Intention, No. 16,846

RESOLVED, THAT IT IS THE INTENTION of the Council of the City of Oakland to order the following street work to be done, to wit:

That Third street in said city, from the sewer in center line of Madison street to the sewer in center line of Oak street, be sewered with an eight-inch vitrified iron stone pipe and that "Y" branches and a manhole be constructed thereon.

THE OAKLAND TRIBUNE is hereby designated as the daily newspaper, published and circulated in said city, in which this Resolution of Intention shall be published for two days, and the notice thereof for six days, as often as said newspaper is issued thereon. The Clerk of this Council is hereby directed to publish therein and post this Resolution for two days in the manner prescribed by law.

Adopted Dec. 22, 1891.

J. M. BRADY, City Clerk.

Oakland, Dec. 29, 1891.

Resolution of Intention, No. 16,844

RESOLVED, THAT IT IS THE INTENTION of the Council of the City of Oakland to order the following street work to be done, to wit:

That West street in said city, from the center line of the 7th street sewer to one-half of the block in said West street, be sewered with an 8-inch diameter pipe sewer with "Y" branches and manholes.

THE OAKLAND TRIBUNE is hereby designated as the daily newspaper, published and circulated in said city, in which this Resolution of Intention shall be published for two days, and the notice thereof for six days, as often as said newspaper is issued therein. The Clerk of this Council is hereby directed to publish therein and post this Resolution for two days in the manner prescribed by law.

Adopted Dec. 21, 1891.

J. M. BRADY, City Clerk.

Oakland, December 28, 1891.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

About New Year Resolutions!

It is about this time of the year that people get to contemplating what they are going and what they are not going to do during the coming year.

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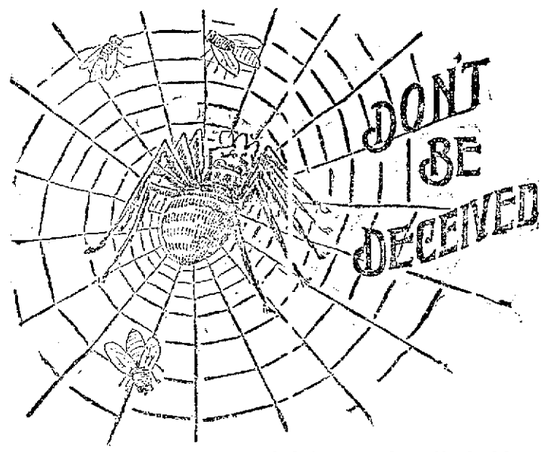

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At 20 Cents.

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ORDINANCE NO.—

Calling a Special Election and Submitting to the Qualified Voters of the City of Oakland the Proposition of Incurring Indebtedness for the Acquisition Construction and Completion of Certain Municipal Buildings and Improvements for Public School Purposes for the Use of the City of Oakland.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Oakland as follows:

Section 1. That a special election is and for the City of Oakland, Alameda County, State of California, is hereby called and will be held in said City on Saturday, the second day of April, A. D. 1892, at which there will be submitted to the qualified voters of said City the proposition of incurring indebtedness in the sum of $[illegible] for the acquisition, construction and completion of certain municipal buildings and improvements in the City of Oakland and in the several wards thereof for public school purposes as follows:

First—For buildings and improvements in the First Ward, to wit: enlarging the Prescott school building and finishing and completing the basement thereof, estimated to cost	$ 20,000
Second—For buildings and improvements in the Second Ward, to wit: Enlarging and adding additional rooms to the Grant School building, estimated to cost	25,000
Third—For buildings and improvements in the Third Ward, to wit: erection of a grammar school building, estimated to cost	75,000
Fourth—For buildings and improvements in the Fourth Ward, to wit: enlarging the Cole school building and Tompkins school building and finishing and completing the basements thereof, estimated to cost	20,000
Fifth—For buildings and improvements in the Fifth Ward, to wit: raising and enlarging and finishing the Lincoln School building, estimated to cost	10,000
Sixth—For buildings and improvements in the Sixth Ward, to wit: the erection of a primary school building, estimated to cost	35,000
Seventh—For buildings and improvements in the Seventh Ward, to wit: the erection of a grammar school building, estimated to cost	50,000
Eighth—For a high school building, estimated to cost	165,000

Section 2. That the public interest and necessities of the City of Oakland demand the acquisition, construction and completion of the said municipal buildings and improvements mentioned and particularly described in section 1 of this ordinance for public school purposes.

That the cost of the acquisition, construction and completion of the said municipal buildings and improvements and each of them is and will be too great to be paid out of the ordinary annual income and revenue of said city, and that it is necessary to incur municipal indebtedness therefor.

That bonds of the City of Oakland of the character known as serials will be issued for the payment of the cost of said municipal buildings and improvements, if the proposition to incur such indebtedness be accepted by the qualified voters of said city, and said bonds will be issued and made payable so that one-twentieth part of the aggregate amount of the indebtedness so incurred shall be payable with the interest thereon at the rate of 5 per cent per annum on a day of each year to be specified therein until the entire debt is paid.

Section 3. That the City Clerk shall prepare for said election a proper register for the city not less than one hundred (100) blank leaves for every fifty of fraction of fifty electors registered in each election precinct, to be distributed to qualified voters of such election precincts; shall therefore be provided, printed ballots to be used at said election shall be of the same character as those prescribed by law for use at municipal elections, but must be of the form and with the caption or heading preceding the propositions to be voted on as follows:

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For the acquisition of said city voting at said election and declaring to vote said proposition to incur such indebtedness shall cast a ballot which shall contain the word "Yes" or "No" opposite the respective propositions to incur such indebtedness.

Section 4. That the City Clerk shall cause to be posted in each of the polling places in said city, a copy of the notice of said election, which shall be in the form and of the same character as those prescribed by law for municipal elections, but must be of the form and with the caption or heading preceding the propositions to be voted on as follows:

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Location of polling place, 217 East Twelfth street.

Judges, J. P. Capell and E. G. Mathews.

Inspectors, E. L. Lawrence and C. C. Lombard.

Clerks, W. H. Cobbledick and R. A. Jackson.

Ballot Clerks, B. Hughes and M. T. Stewart.

SEVENTH WARD—SECOND PRECINCT.

That portion of the Seventh ward of the city of Oakland, described as follows:

Beginning at a point where the center line of Eighth avenue, if extended southerly, would intersect the charter line of the city of Oakland; thence northerly to and along the center line of Eighth avenue to the center line of East Twenty-eighth street; thence westerly along the center line of East Twenty-eighth street to the center line of Matthew avenue; thence northeasterly along the center line of Matthew avenue to the center line of Hopkins street; thence easterly along the center line of Hopkins street to the center line of Thirteenth avenue; thence southerly along the center line of Thirteenth avenue to the center line of East Twenty-eighth street; thence westerly along the center line of East Twenty-eighth street to the center line of Eleventh (11th) avenue; thence southerly along the center line of Eleventh (11th) avenue to the center line of East Eighteenth street; thence easterly along the center line of East Eighteenth street to the center line of Twelfth (12th) avenue; thence southerly along the center line of Twelfth (12th) avenue to the center line of East Twelfth street; thence easterly along center line of East Twelfth street to center line of Commerce street; thence southerly along the center line of Commerce street and its extension southerly to the charter line of the city of Oakland; thence westerly along said charter line to the place of beginning.

Location of polling place, 508 East Twelfth street.

Judges, O. Bemis and W. T. Gibbs.

Inspectors, C. H. Clapp and J. H. Boolan.

Clerks, C. Cook and Henry Jornes.

Ballot Clerks, H. S. Tuttle and L. Hewlett.

SEVENTH WARD—THIRD PRECINCT.

That portion of the city of Oakland described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the center line of Mitbury street with the center line of Thirteenth avenue; thence southerly along the center line of Thirteenth avenue to the center line of East Twenty-eighth street; thence westerly along the center line of East Twenty-eighth street to the center line of Eleventh avenue; thence southerly along the center line of Eleventh avenue to the center line of East Eighteenth street; thence easterly along the center line of East Eighteenth street to the center line of Twelfth (12th) avenue; thence southerly along the center line of Twelfth avenue to the center line of East Twelfth street; thence easterly along the center line of East Twelfth street to center line of Commerce street; thence southerly along the center line of Commerce street and its extension southerly to the charter line of the city of Oakland; thence westerly along said charter line to the place of beginning.

Location of polling place, 508 East Twelfth street.

Judges, O. Bemis and W. T. Gibbs.

Inspectors, C. H. Clapp and J. H. Boolan.

Clerks, C. Cook and Henry Jornes.

Ballot Clerks, H. S. Tuttle and L. Hewlett.

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Location of polling place, 651 East Twelfth street.

Judges, Christopher Muer and C. H. W. Deike.

Inspectors, I. S. Wilkins and J. H. Corentine.

Clerks, Jas. Chandler Jr. and Henry Hayes.

Ballot Clerks, L. J. Harvey and J. J. Gray.

SEVENTH WARD—FOURTH PRECINCT.

That portion of the Seventh ward of the city of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the southern boundary of the Lynn homestead; on the east and south by the charter limits of the city of Oakland, and on the west by Nineteenth (19th) avenue and by that portion of Commerce street lying northerly from Nineteenth street.

Location of polling place, 651 East Twelfth street.

Judges, Scott Van Wye and T. H. Grant.

Inspectors, Paul Des Marais and [illegible].

Clerks, T. W. Jeffress and L. D. Haskell.

Ballot Clerks, R. J. Koenig and A. A. Merrill.

Section 10. Upon the canvass of the returns of said election it shall be found that at least two-thirds of the persons voting at said election have voted in favor of said proposition, then and thereafter the said [illegible] shall be and become, and shall be provided for the purposes herein mentioned, when and as first aforesaid.

Section 11. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force immediately after its passage and approval and publication; and it is hereby ordered that after the passage of this ordinance, and its approval by the Mayor of said city, the same, together with the certificate of the clerk to that effect, shall be published once a week for ten days in the OAKLAND DAILY TIMES, the *Daily Evening Tribune* and once a week for two weeks in the *Daily Journal*, newspapers printed and published in said city.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., Dec. 21, 1891.

Passed by the following vote:

AYES—Messrs. Brosnahan, Cash, Carthorne, Heitmann, Johnston, Macdonald, Parden, Tiernbruch, Watkinson, Wilkins and President Nelson—9.

NOES—None.

ABSENT—Mr. Rowe—1.

Attest:

[SEAL.] J. M. BRADY, City Clerk.

OAKLAND, Dec. 21, 1891.

Probate Notice.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE COUNTY of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Alfred Friot, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of said Alfred Friot, deceased, and for the issuance to Alphonse Friot of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this court, and that Monday, the 4th day of January, A. D. 1892, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the courtroom of Department No. 1 of said court, at the Courthouse in the city of Oakland, in the county of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated December 16, 1891.

[SEAL.] JAMES E. CRANE, Clerk.

By ROBERT DUNN, Deputy Clerk.

A. COMTE JR., Attorney for Petitioner.

ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

ALAMEDA COUNTY LAND COMPANY. Location of principal place of business, Oakland, Alameda County, California.—Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Board of Directors, held on the first day of December, 1891, an assessment of fifteen (15) dollars per share was levied on the capital stock of the corporation, payable immediately to the secretary of the corporation, at its office, in the Union National Bank, southeast corner of Ninth street and Broadway, Oakland, Alameda County, California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on Saturday, the second day of January, 1892, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before will be sold on Tuesday, the eighteenth day of January, 1892, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with cost of advertising and expenses of sale.

W. H. HIGH JR., Secretary.

Office at Union National Bank, southeast corner of Ninth street and Broadway, Oakland, Alameda county, California.

Notice of Street Work.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT ON THE 24th day of December, A. D. 1891, the City Council of the city of Oakland passed Resolution of Intention Number 16,816, to order the following street work to be done, viz:

That Twelfth street in said city, from the east line of Franklin street to the east line of Oak street, be remacadamized as per specifications in the order of work. Also that the south side of Twelfth street, between the east line of Oak street and the westline of Fallon street, be recurbed with wood and remacadamized. Gutters of broken rock 3 feet wide. Work to be done according to the specifications in the order of work. Such portions of the above as are required by law to be kept in order or repair by persons or companies having railroad tracks thereon are hereby excepted.

For further particulars reference is hereby made to said resolution and specifications for street work on file in the office of the City Clerk of the city of Oakland. This notice shall be published for six days in THE OAKLAND TRIBUNE, being the newspaper designated by said City Council for such publication.

J. S. WALL, Superintendent of Streets of the City of Oakland, Cal.

Oakland, December 22, 1891.

Legal.

ORDINANCE NO. —

An Ordinance Establishing the Width of the Roadway and Sidewalks on Fifth Avenue, From the Northern Line of East 12th Street to the Southern Line of East 18th Street, in the City of Oakland.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF the City of Oakland, as follows:

Section 1. The width of sidewalks on each side of Fifth avenue from the northern line of East 12th street to the southern line of East 18th street in the city of Oakland is hereby fixed and established henceforth to be ten and one-half feet for each side.

The space from curb line to curb line between said sidewalks as above provided for and established, being the remainder of said Fifth avenue between said northern line of East 12th street and said southern line of East 18th street, is hereby declared and fixed henceforth to be the roadway of said avenue between said limits.

Section 2. Upon final passage of this ordinance leave is hereby and hereby granted to the property owners owning real property fronting on the above described portion of said Fifth avenue, to make said street and sidewalks in front of their respective properties conform to the foregoing, the work to be done to the satisfaction of the Street Superintendent and at no cost or expense to the city and upon the official grade and lines to be furnished by the City Engineer, and conform thereto.

Section 3. All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 4. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., Dec. 14, 1891.

Passed to print by the following vote:

Ayes—Messrs. Carthorne, Heitmann, Johnston, Macdonald, Parden, Tiernbruch, Watkinson, Wilkins and President Nelson—9.

Noes—None.

Absent—Messrs. Brosnahan and Earl—2.

Attest: J. M. BRADY, City Clerk.

Oakland, Dec. 18, 1891.

ORDINANCE NO. —

An Ordinance to Amend an Ordinance Entitled "An Ordinance Establishing and Regulating Municipal Licenses," Approved May 20, 1887.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF the City of Oakland as follows:

Section 1. That section 3 of section 27 of an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance Establishing and Regulating Municipal Licenses," approved May 20, 1887, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"For every street car and passenger car drawn or propelled by steam or by means of a wire rope or cable attached to stationary steam engines or by means of electric power, or by any other motive power, one hundred dollars per annum; said licenses to be paid annually on the first days of January, April, July and October of each year, and to date from commencement or running of such and every car so used."

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect and be in full force from and after its approval.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., December 14, 1891.

Passed to print by the following vote:

Ayes—Messrs. Carthorne, Heitmann, Johnston, Macdonald, Parden, Tiernbruch, Watkinson, Wilkins and President Nelson—9.

Noes—None.

Absent—Messrs. Brosnahan and Earl—2.

Attest: J. M. BRADY, City Clerk.

Oakland, December 18, 1891.

ORDINANCE NO. —

An Ordinance Authorizing the Board of Public Works to Purchase from One Hose Wagon for the Fire Department of the City of Oakland.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF the City of Oakland as follows:

Section 1. The Board of Public Works of the City of Oakland is hereby authorized to expend a sum not to exceed one hundred dollars in purchasing one hose wagon for the Fire Department of the City of Oakland.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., Dec. 15, 1891.

Passed to print by the following vote:

Ayes—Messrs. Carthorne, Heitmann, Johnston, Macdonald, Parden, Tiernbruch, Watkinson, Wilkins and President Nelson—9.

Noes—None.

Absent—Messrs. Brosnahan and Earl—2.

Attest: J. M. BRADY, City Clerk.

Oakland, Dec. 15, 1891.

PROPOSALS

For the Construction of Bituminous Rock Crossalks and the Repairing of the Same on the Public Streets in and for the City of Oakland.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC Works, City Hall, Oakland, Dec. 23, 1891.

In accordance with resolution No. 1166 of the Board of Public Works, sealed proposals will be received in open session of the Board of Public Works, at their office in the City Hall, on Tuesday, the 5th day of January, 1892, from 7:30 to 8:30 o'clock P. M., for the construction of bituminous rock crossalks and the repairing of the same on the public streets in said city of Oakland for a period of six months.

Proposals to be made in accordance with plans and specifications on file in the office of the Board. All works which relates to labor and materials, work and over, to be done according to plans, work and over, to be done according to plans, work and over, to be done according to plans

THE THEATERS.

The Fair Ones of the Carleton Company Snowed In.

An Oregon Blizzard Holds Them—"U and I" Drawing Big at the Bush-Street.

An Oregon blizzard stayed the onward course of the Carleton Opera Company. It was snowed in somewhere up around Sissons, and therefore the Baldwin remained closed last night. Tonight, however, the big opera company will appear.

THE OAKLAND THEATER.

Daniel Sully Will Present "The Millionaire" in Oakland.

Daniel Sully will present his clever comedy, *The Millionaire*, at the Oakland Theater next Friday night. It will play three nights, Friday, Saturday and Sunday, and two matinees, Friday and Saturday.

The Millionaire is a play strong in dramatic effect and with a vein of real comedy running throughout. By way of a brief synopsis, it may be said that the story hinges upon the struggle of an Irish contractor, James O'Brien, against the combined wealth and influence of a powerful railroad syndicate. Mr. Sully portrays the true-hearted, noble Irishman, a man possessed of very little education, but with all the characteristics of a true gentleman. The impersonation is humorous, freely and broadly drawn in its humanity and is faithful to the individual. Mr. Sully has good support.

Kelly and Daly.!

The U and I Company, with Irish Kelly and Dutch Daly in the leading roles, will be in Oakland next Monday and Tuesday nights. The company has been playing a very successful engagement at the Bush-street Theater in San Francisco.

The Alcazar.

Afra is another holiday spectacle that will claim the attention of patrons of the Alcazar for at least another week. It is as good as purely Christmas productions usually are. There is no special merit to it, but the scenic artist and machinist, together with the orchestra, lend it enough interest to hold the attention of an audience. The specialties are good and the wrestling match between Joe Acton and Professor Clark is exciting enough to rouse the audience.

The Tivoli.

At the Tivoli the holiday production styled *The Island of Tycoobar* will run till further notice. The work of the orchestra is good and Scenic Artist Test is entitled to much credit for the transformation scene. Although the players have but little opportunity to show their ability they do everything they possibly can do.

The Bush Street Theater.

U and I continues its successful run at the Bush Street Theater. The vitality of the farce comedy is quite astonishing. Although given once before for an extended period it draws the public still. There is much to commend in it. *U and I* is funny. It keeps an audience giggling from start to finish. John T. Kelly, the leading comedian, is undoubtedly one of the cleverest dialect performers on the stage. Backed by Dutch Daly he is irresistible. Some people may not like Flossie West, but she seems to please the great majority and this is satisfactory to the management. The minor characters are cleverly done, too, something unusual in a company of this character. The show is entitled to all the patronage it is receiving. Next week Daniel Sully, one of the best known of Irish comedians, will appear in *The Millionaire*. The play has many of those realistic features that please theater goers.

The California.

For one more week *The Devil's Auction* will hold the board at the California. Next week Mr. Willard, who for two weeks has held the boards at the Baldwin, will be transferred to the California. He will appear in a play called *Judah*. The Englishman is a strong, conscientious actor, and the company supporting him is one of the best in the country. The failure of a company booked for the California on the road made Mr. Willard's appearance at the theater a possibility.

THE EDUCATORS.

Changes in the Schools Made by the Classification Committee.

Plans Adopted for the Addition to the Clawson School—Dr. Dunn's Precautions.

The Board of Education held a regular meeting at the City Hall last night. In the absence of Superintendent McClymonds, Deputy Sands acted as secretary.

Miss L. C. Beauoue was granted a leave of absence for six months commencing January 1st. She has ill health.

Applications for positions were received from Martha E. France, Mary Hannan and Mary A. Martin.

Health Officer Dunn addressed a communication to the board, wherein he asked to have certain pamphlets giving instructions about contagious diseases distributed to the pupils in the schools. On motion his request was granted.

Director Ingler reported that certain improvements in the schools are progressing. On his motion a requisition was drawn on the Board of Public Works for a cement sidewalk in front of the new lot adjoining Harrison school and for bitumen on lot at the same school.

While reading the requisitions one was received to have a dictionary rebound.

Secretary Sands suggested that the requisition was from Principal McChesney and when it was brought in the principal had volunteered the information that he thought the work of rebinding could be done cheaper at the Pacific Press.

"Mr. McChesney only made that as a suggestion," said Mr. Sands by way of apology.

Director Girard made a neat little speech on the subject. He stated that THE TRIBUNE and other papers here are willing to do the work and would do it cheaply. They employed union men and should be given patronage. He was not in favor of giving work to the Pacific Press when it could be done as cheap by THE TRIBUNE and other papers. He therefore made a motion that the work be given to THE TRIBUNE or other papers—the one making the lowest bid. The motion was unanimously carried.

John Martens, agent for the Niagara Fire Insurance Company, asked for additional insurance on the High school. He stated that his company had suffered considerable loss by the recent fires. Referred to the Finance Committee.

Superintendent McClymonds presented a report wherein he estimated that the receipts to be received shortly will amount to $277,692. His report also shows the number of pupils enrolled in the schools to be 13,216.

The Classification Committee presented the following report which was adopted:

I. That Miss Flora I. DeWolf be transferred from the Prescott to the Tompkins school.

II. That Miss Sainton be transferred from the Tompkins to the Lincoln school.

III. That Miss Eva Thompson be transferred from the Lincoln to the Prescott school.

IV. That the teachers so transferred be assigned to the vacancies in the schools to which they are respectively transferred.

The recommendations were approved by the board. The same committee made recommendations as follows, which were likewise approved:

I. That Miss Larkin be assigned to the A Seventh grade of the Durant school, made vacant by the leave of absence granted Miss Betancue.

2. That Miss Larkin be assigned to A Sixth and B Fifth, taught by Miss Barnes, and that Miss Gibson be assigned to A Fourth grade of the Durant school.

The new plans for building the addition to the Clawson school were adopted.

Bills were allowed and ordered paid as follows: E. M. Derby & Co., $44; California Improvement Company, $42 20; Humboldt Lumber Company, $27; California Improvement Company, $425; James Gallagher, $12; M. H. Mikkelson, $7 50; J. C. Gilson, $550; The Bancroft Company, $15; Hutchison & Sanbourn, $1 26; C. F. Whidden, $2 50; Contra Costa Water Company, $839 60; Humboldt Lumber Company, $3 56, $13 55, $1 60; Everson, Walker & Smith, $1 25; C. A. Hunt, $34; Washington Street Planing Mill, $6 60; Jeffress, Mitchell & Co., $3; R. W. Edwards, $1; Whittier, Fuller & Co., $2 40; Tait & Pennoyer, 45 cents; Uhl Bros., $70, $50; Washington Street Planing Mill, $1; Sunset Telephone Company, $5 60; E. G. Buswell & Co., $7; Charles Shear, $1; Humboldt Lumber Company, $5; Phelan & Fish, $4 10; Jeffress, Mitchell & Co., $12; Tribune Publishing Company, $39 07, $21 76, $72 45; W. [illegible] Kelly, $25 23, $27 37; Oakland Gas, Light and Heat Company, $63 20; H. F. Mansfield & Co., $38 42.

The board now adjourned.

ON RECORD.

AGREEMENT.

Elizabeth A. S. Hurlbut with George G. Buckland, to convey lot on north line of Central avenue, 57 feet east from Willow street east 47x157½ feet, Alameda, in exchange for land in Monterey county, State School land in Tehama county, etc.

LIS PENDENS.

Oakland Water Front Company vs. J. L. Davie, C. P. Everts, John Krattinger et al., ejectment, lot on southeast corner of First and Webster streets, east 100x574 feet, Oakland.

POWER OF ATTORNEY.

H. P. Baldwin to Samuel T. Alexander; general.

ASSIGNMENT.

Louis Friedman to Home Savings Bank, assigns 396 in 33, from Paul Heller; $350.

SUPERIOR COURT ACTIONS.

E. T. and W. C. Perrin (saloon keepers) vs. their creditors; insolvency.

F. R. Stevenson & Co. (crockery dealers) vs. their creditors; insolvency.

George P. White vs. Piedmont Bath and Power Company; damages, $50,253.

MEN AND WOMEN.

Miss May Edwards and Miss Irene Truman have returned from San Jose, where they have been spending Christmas with friends.

No Celebration Tonight.

Owing to the bad weather the celebration of the new tidal canal bridge at Twenty-third avenue has been postponed until Saturday night.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

DEEDS.

TUESDAY, December 29th.

Ole C. Vluzent to F. E. Mannel, lot on south line of Butterworth street, 240 feet west from Dwinelle, west 85x135, State University Homestead No. 3, Berkeley; $10.

Charles McCarthy to F. M. Cramer, lot 12, block A, Parsons Golden Gate tract, Oakland township; $10.

Hugh Hogan and wife to Amos R. Dow, lot 52 resubdivision of portion of block D and portion of block E, Harrison tract, Oakland township; $35.

Elsie A., wife of J. E. McBlrath, to James A. De Foy, lot on south line of Forty-fourth street, 150 feet east from West, east 50x100, Oakland township; $10.

Beulah Park Camp Meeting Association to Mrs. E. M. Carr, lot 198, block M, Beulah Park property (in correction), East Oakland; $10.

Frederick Elliott to S. H. Marvin, lot 324 and south ½ of lots 321 and 322, block W, same tract, East Oakland; $131.

Same to Emiline M. Carly, lot 323 and north ½ of lots 321 and 322, same block, East Oakland; $131.

Central Pacific Railroad Company to John Schoenfelder, undivided one-ninth interest in lot on south corner of Sixteenth and Wood streets, southwest 80 to north line of plot 398, 115 to southwest line of Sixteenth street, northwest 100, Oakland; $10.

W. C. Morgan and wife to M. L. Warts, undivided ½ interest in lots 10 and 11, block T, Leonard tract, Oakland township; $10.

Michael Skelly to Edward J. Heverin, all interest in 5 acres at the southeast corner of tract of John Dobbel land all working plant, tools, derricks and appliances of every kind thereon), Eden township; $10.

Persis H., wife of John C. Coleman, to George W. Harrison, lots 9 to 11, block 81, northern addition to Brooklyn, quit claim, East Oakland; $1.

William T. Halliday to William N. Holway, lots 11 to 15, block A, map lots 12 to 17, Baker's subdivision part lot 1, Yoakum tract (in correction), Brooklyn township; $10.

The N. C. Carroll Company to George M. McDonald, same property; $10.

J. S. Johnson and wife to George J. Ulrich, lot 18, Handy tract, Oakland township; $10.

Oakland Land and Improvement Company to A. C. Hatch, lots 17 to 22 (mountainous 120 acres), Oakland Land and Improvement Company's lands in Santa Rita Rancho, Murray township; $3,000.

Oakland Water Front Company to Oakland Gas, Light and Heat Company, lot commencing on "North Harbor Line" at intersection of center line of Jefferson street, (produced south), north along line of said Jefferson street to a point 22 feet south from south line of First street, east parallel with First street, 40.23 to east line of Jefferson street (produced south), north 29, east 80, north to south line of Peralta road, west on patent line to point 180 feet west from Grove street to point 300 feet south from south line of First street, east 290.5, south to "North Harbor Line," east to beginning, (not to be used as ferry landing or wharf), Oakland; $10.

Estate of William L. Glascock, by trustee, etc., to J. R. Allcutt, undivided 2-20 of block A, lots 3, 5, 17 and 18, block B; lots 16, 17 and 18, block C, Patterson Homestead No. 2, Brooklyn township; $[illegible].

Du Ray Smith to William F. Fisher, lot on the east line of San Pablo avenue, 575 feet north from west line of Adeline street, south 36.58 to south line of H. C. Pohrs Homestead, west 240.60 (except a portion at southeast corner thereof, owned by railroad); also lot on the east line of San Pablo avenue, 450 feet north from west line of Adeline street, north 33 by east 150; also all interest in lot 1 of H. C. Pohrs Homestead, Oakland township; $10.

George C. Edwards and wife to Joseph J. Bessing, lot in southeast corner of Dwight way and Grant street, east 5 by south to north line of lot 1, block E, Crystal Spring tract, Berkeley; $10.

Thomas Barr to William F. Fisher, lot on east line of San Pablo avenue, 450 feet north from west line of Adeline, east 270.92 to Adeline for commencement point, north 29.16, west parallel with Forty-first street 135 feet to land of Taylor, south 25, east 126, Oakland township; $6.

Joseph and James Warner and wife to George Frankland, lots 21 and 22, block 24, Warner tract, Brooklyn township; $10.

Mary J. Hirst to Eugene L. Ely, lot on south line of Twenty-sixth street, 166.14 feet east from San Pablo avenue, east 50x99, Oakland; $10.

William S. Jones and wife to Thomas and Mary Higgins, lot on north line of Twelfth street, 150 feet east from Center, east 32x110, Oakland; $10.

Geraldo K. Martin and wife to Joseph Smith, lot on north line of Castro street, 60 feet west from D, west 50x158, Hayward; $10.

Peter Peterson to Anna M. Peterson, his wife, lot on west line of county road from Oakland to San Leandro at "compromise line," northwest 155.1, southwest 346.7, southeast 91.4, northeast 403.7, Brooklyn township; $1.

MORTGAGES.

TUESDAY, December 29th.

Gustav A. Blank and wife to Home Savings Bank, lot on west line of Park street (as widened) 200½ feet south from Alameda avenue, south 50.2, west 117.1½, north 50, east 121.6, Alameda; $6500.

Francis M. Cramer and wife to Oakland Banking & Loan Association, as in deed, Oakland township; $1700.

A. T. Hatch to Oakland Land & Improvement Company, as in deed, Murray township; $40,000.

Adaline M., wife of G. A. Weed, to Oakland Bank of Savings, lot on east line of Chapel street, 290 feet north from Bancroft way, north 110x136.2, Berkeley; $2 00.

Jane Colvin to same, lots 1 to 6, block A, New Town Lynn; also lot on southeast corner of Matthews road and county road No. 1135, southeast 99 feet, west 114.6 to Matthews road, northeast to beginning, East Oakland; $1000.

Patrick Mudrooney and wife to George Clark, lot 7, block D, resubdivision of Wenton tract, Oakland township; $175.

William Burge to Oakland Building & Loan Association, lot on northeast side of Lincoln avenue, 350 feet southeast from the northwest line of 4 acre tract survey made by J. S. Whitcher, southeast 70 by northeast parallel with High street, 150, Alameda; $200.

Charles B. Overacker to J. L. Shiman, 42.46 acres (except certain rights of way) on road from Niles to Mission San Jose, Washington township; $3000.

THE RECEIVER'S END.

Some Pointers on the Reception of Gifts With Equanimity.

Scribner.

From the receiver's standpoint all gifts may be divided into things that we want and things that we don't want. It takes no particular skill or grace to receive things that we want, but as, in times of general giving, like Christmas, the larger part of the gifts we get are things that we don't want, that branch of receivership is worth attention. The two ordinary reasons for not wanting things are the vulgar one that they do not strike us as intrinsically desirable, and the more complex reason that we don't want to receive them from the particular giver. A general remedy applicable to reluctances due to either of these cases is to keep strenuously in the mind the happiness of the giver in giving. Remembering that, you are delighted with a trifle from some one you love, because it makes you happy to have been even passively instrumental in procuring him the happiness of giving; applying the same principle, you can accept ever so costly a gift from some one for whom you care little without any irksome sense of obligation, since, of course, the giver had the best of it anyway, and it is a great deal kinder and more generous to sacrifice one's personal inclinations and accept, than to refuse. Remember persistently that by receiving with due grace you secure to another person a desirable form of happiness.

After all, little children do it best. They are the superlative receivers, and it is because they are that we delight to give them things. They are frankly and delightfully appreciative. Obligations sit as lightly on them as air. They value their gifts simply by the pleasure they get out of them, and prefer a rag baby to the deed of a brick house. They take a jumping-jack from Mary, the laundress, and a jewelled pin from Aunt Melinda Croesus, without the least distinction of happy approval. The nearer we get to their guilelessness, the nearer we approach perfection in receiving, and in all the Christmas attributes besides.

KISSED THE SHERIFF.

Deputy Macy Has a Struggle With an Insane Woman.

Mary Louisa Gormes, a Portuguese woman who has been living at San Leandro, was committed to the Agnews Insane Asylum late yesterday afternoon. When she was being led out of the court room she suddenly threw her arms around Deputy Sheriff Macy's neck and kissed him time and again. The deputy made desperate efforts to free himself from the woman's embrace but it was no use, he couldn't shake her off. Clara Thomas Robinson came to the Sheriff's relief, and after a hard struggle Macy was released. Then the woman ran after Dr. Blood, but the young physician anticipated her and galloped down stairs at a lively rate and escaped an embrace.

LITTLE JOHNNIE'S FALL.

He Nearly Lost His Life While Playing on a Train.

Little Johnnie Garravita, a bright lad of 12 years, nearly lost his life yesterday afternoon while riding on the last platform of the local train. The boy was playing with some companions as the train approached the bridge across the estuary from the East Oakland side. Johnie lost his balance and went flying into space. He struck the trestle and then fell into the mud below. Some men soon rescued him from his perilous position, when it was found that he was suffering from a fracture of the right leg near the ankle. The lad appeared to be in greater terror of meeting his parents than having the fracture reduced.

JOHN C. HANDY'S WILL.

The Man Who Was Murdered in Arizona Owned Property Here.

The will of John C. Handy, the Oakslander who was murdered in Tucson, Ariz., has been filed for probate in this county. He owned property in Oakland valued at $5600, which is bequeathed to his five children share and share alike. Cornelia Holbrook Crosby is named as executrix in the will and she has consented to act. The decedent also owned some property in Arizona. After Mr. Handy's death his remains were brought to Oakland by his mother and interred in Mountain View Cemetery.

Hatch Makes a Purchase.

A. T. Hatch has purchased from the Oakland Land and Improvement Company 120 acres of land in the Santa Rita Rancho for $36,000. All the improvements thereon go with the land.

"Thy Neighbor as Thyself."

I hold it truth, with the truest joy
That may on earth be had
Arises from the sweet employ
Of making others glad.

If there be selfishness in this,
It boards no secret pelf.
But welcomes still to share its bliss
Another as itself.

Its dearest treasures it would give,
Nor stay to count the cost,
If others on its bounty live,
Then nothing it has lost.

This love is lavished, never sold;
Its honor knows no stain:
There is no canker on its gold—
No mildew on its grain.

Be mine the happiness to know,
If rich, how blest is he
Whom God himself has honored so,
His almoner to be.

But if it be the Master's will
That I should daily fare
Through narrow ways, a toiler still
For all I eat and wear,

Then be it mine with grateful heart
Such blessing to receive
As I would willingly impart
Another to relieve.

—Theo. H. Hill in Raleigh (N. C.) News and Observer.

IRVINGTON.

IRVINGTON, December 23.—Mrs. George Grinnell spent Sunday and Monday with her sister, Mrs. F. Hale of Alameda.

Mr. Rockwell has added quite an addition to his house.

Mrs. Kelly, who has been quite sick with the "grip," is improving.

Mrs. Simeon Stivens went to San Francisco Tuesday.

Miss Maggie Rix went to San Francisco Sunday for a day or two.

Mrs. M. M. Galindo and Miss Minnie Galindo visited with friends in Mounta View from Friday till Tuesday.

Mrs. R. Threlfall spent Wednesday in San Francisco.

Professor Keith is having a tank put up at the College.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Wetherby went to Stockton Saturday afternoon to attend the funeral of Mr. Wetherby's brother.

Julia Rix was in the city Saturday last.

Miss Minnie Ford returned the first of the week from a week's visit to her sister in Los Gatos.

Mrs. Ed Newton is quite sick.

Jean Babb of Oakland is spending a part of his vacation with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Babb.

Miss R. Hinckley was in San Francisco Monday.

All the stores have put on a gay appearance and are thronged with visitors for the holiday trade.

A. O. Rix made a trip to San Francisco Saturday.

Notices are up that the District High school will open in Centerville on the 11th of January.

D. Joyce is very ill with lung fever. Mrs. Joyce has also been confined to her bed with the same sickness.

Mrs. J. Saxe of San Francisco came up Monday night to spend some time with her relatives.

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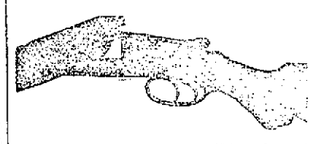

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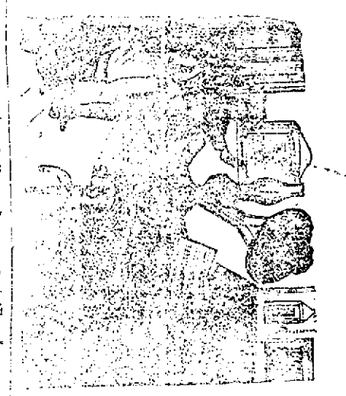

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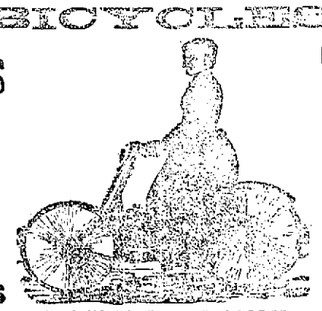

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